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BRITAIN UNCHANGED REGARDING MEXICO

Situation Considered Bad but
Recognition Will Not Be
Withdrawn

HUERTA PLANNING TO ASSEMBLE DIPLOMATS

Dictator to Make Statement
Regarding Affairs of the
Republic

CARRANZA HOPEFUL OF NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

London, Oct. 17.—There is no likelihood of Great Britain's recognition of Provisional President Huerta of Mexico being withdrawn at present, as has been suggested in dispatches from Washington, in the opinion of British government circles.

It is admitted that something might arise which would induce Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, to take this drastic course, but it is pointed out that nothing thus far has occurred to change the official view that recognition of the provisional government was the correct policy.

Situation Is Bad.

It is realized here that the state of affairs in Mexico is very bad, but Great Britain is studiously refraining from interfering in any way between General Huerta and the constitutionalists.

The British government, it is declared, would naturally desire to support President Wilson in any action he might take looking to peace, but first of all British interests in Mexico must be considered because those interests, which include property, bonds and other investments, amount to many millions.

Might Mean Long War.

Intervention on the part of the United States would not be welcomed by the British government, as it is feared it would lead to a long and sanguinary war. British investors would be the heaviest losers, as they would be unable to recoup themselves after the war in the same way as America would be able to do by the annexation of territory or by the enforcement of an indemnity.

Nothing has been heard from Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister to Mexico, in regard to the meeting of members of the foreign diplomatic corps in Mexico City, and no request has come from him for a warship.

Ship Not Requested.

It has been suggested here that a British warship might be sent to Mexico, but the British foreign office is relying on Sir Lionel Carden to ask for one if he thinks it necessary. Sir Ralph Paget, formerly secretary of the embassy at Washington, who has a wide knowledge of Mexican and Central American affairs, has just been appointed permanent under-secretary at the foreign office in charge of American affairs.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—General Huerta plans to assemble the foreign diplomatic corps in Mexico City to-day or to-morrow, according to the state department advice, and make a statement on the present situation. No inkling of Huerta's purpose was contained in the dispatches. His statement will be received here with the keenest interest, though administration officials doubt that it will alter the situation.

Those closest to the administration policy believe dealings with Huerta virtually are ended, and that peaceful measures to compose the situation will be next exerted in other directions. Speculation on the possibility and extent of dealings with the constitutionalist heads has been revived by the present situation, but brings no definite statement from official sources.

Antipathy to Diaz.

Havana, Oct. 17.—Placards purporting to be signed by various Mexicans residing in Havana who threaten to resist the landing of General Felix Diaz and to assassinate him if he should come ashore, were posted to-day throughout the city. A wireless dispatch from the steamer Corcovado, on board of which General Diaz is coming here, says that the vessel will arrive at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. The secret police have been ordered by the authorities to prohibit all communication between the ship and the shore, except by persons fully authorized. Should General Felix Diaz land, the hotel at which he stays is to be protected by police and a strong detachment of rural guards.

Carranza Is Hopeful.

Nogales, Sonora, Oct. 17.—Confident that good news for the constitutionalist cause will come soon from Washington, General Venustiano Carranza, leader of the revolutionary movement in northern Mexico, announced to-day that he would remain here to maintain communication with the American capital.

Carranza received another long message in English to-day, which constitutionalist attaches said came from "an American official in Washington." Carranza declined to discuss it.

Ex-Governor William Sulzer



FEDERAL INCORPORATION OF COMPANY GIVES NATURAL RIGHT IN PROVINCES

Right to Regulate Concerns and Raise Revenue by Taxation
is Left to Provincial Governments by Recent
Judgment

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—In further explanation of the judgment of the supreme court in the companies case it is stated that while maintaining the principle that any company incorporated by the federal authorities has a natural right to operate in any or all of the provinces of the Dominion.

The provinces when dealing with such concerns are possessed of no right to in any way abridge or limit the powers conferred by letters patent from the Dominion department of state, but for the purpose of raising provincial revenue or obtaining information upon which taxation may be based, they have the right to regulate such concerns. It is specifically defined, however, that this regulation must not be of a radical character as

to be preventive in its operating effect upon the companies, rather, as stated it is mainly to give the provinces the opportunity of raising revenue from licenses, etc.

The judgments are exceedingly technical and while a majority came to the same conclusion, the reasoning which leads to it is in many respects widely divergent. In view of the variety of interests affected the court has ordered the judgments printed, and all copies are now in the hands of the king's printer. When they are printed the different provinces and other parties will be furnished with the findings. The general conclusion, however, is one upholding the provincial end of the argument while subject to the limitations stated, ensuring the status in any province of a company which has a Dominion charter.

KETTLE VALLEY LINE STARTED BOTH ENDS

Contracts Let Sixteen Miles North-
east of Hope and Six From
Summit End.

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—Construction operations on the joint section of the Kettle Valley railway, between Hope and the Coquella summit, have been started from both ends, according to J. H. Kennedy, engineer for the V. & E. railway, who has just returned from a trip of inspection. Contracts have been let to station men, he states, for portions of the new line sixteen miles northeast from Hope, and for six miles southwest of the summit end. Roads for transporting supplies and equipment have been built, and a large force of men is employed on the clearing and grading work. The entire section to be built by the Kettle Valley, and used jointly by that road and the V. & E. is 33 miles in length.

The construction operations near the Pass are fraught with great engineering difficulties. In order to transport supplies to the right-of-way from the roadway near the summit portion of the proposed railway, a cable tram will be used. The road in some places is nearly 1,000 feet from the route, and goods will have to be lowered over a big bluff into the valley below. Messrs. McArthur Bros. secured the contract for the construction of the joint section of the Hope Mountain line.

NINETEEN MILLIONS IN ALASKA GOLD ANNUALLY

Seattle, Oct. 17.—"The gold mined in Alaska each year averages a total value of \$19,000,000," said Prof. George E. Riggs, of the botany department at the state university, speaking to a luncheon in political science yesterday afternoon.

"The annual kelp crop in Alaskan waters is worth \$16,000,000. This estimate is a conservative one, as we value potash as worth \$75 per ton, while it is sold here in Seattle to-day at \$108." Prof. Riggs has been in charge of the government survey of the kelp beds in Alaskan water two summers.

KING OF SWINDLERS FINDS BAIL OF \$10,000

Frederick Gondorf Charged With
Fraud on Winnipeg Man Who
Lost \$64,000.

New York, Oct. 17.—Frederick Gondorf, the elderly wire-tapping swindler, who enjoys the international reputation as being the king in his special line, fell once more into the hands of the police to-day when he appeared in the criminal branch of the supreme court on an indictment found charging him with swindling Duncan Gurry, a former comptroller and resident of Winnipeg, Man., out of \$64,000.

Gondorf, who is already at liberty on \$15,000 bail, in a former swindling case, was arraigned in the court of general sessions and released in a few moments after \$10,000 bail had been furnished for his appearance to plead to the indictment.

Early in September Mr. Gurry, according to the complaint on which the indictment was found, lost \$64,000 in the swindle which he says was operated by Gondorf and another man not arrested.

HWANG LIANG FORCE MURDERS 300 PERSONS

Peking, Oct. 17.—A force of Chinese brigands, commanded by General Hwang Liang, has murdered 300 persons in the province of Fokien, and also burned two mission churches, the property of American missionary societies. The American missionaries from the disturbed district are still in Fu Chow, where they took refuge during the recent troubles.

The Chinese government troops sent against the brigands have not shown much activity. The Chinese war office to-day promised the American charge d'affaires, Edward T. Williams, that it would institute effective measures for the suppression of the brigands.

SULZER NO LONGER GOVERNOR OF STATE

Removal is Voted To-day by
High Court of Impeach-
ment at Albany

FORTY-THREE VOTES AGAINST EXECUTIVE

Last Four Articles Charged
Were Voted Out Unani-
mously by Court

GLYNN BECOMES HEAD OF NEW YORK STATE

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 17.—William Sulzer is no longer governor of the state of New York. A few minutes before noon to-day the high court of impeachment, by a vote of forty-three to twelve, removed him from office. Senator Wende and Judge Cullen excused themselves from voting.

The proposition of disqualifying Sulzer from again holding a place of honor or trust in the state was voted down unanimously with the exception that Judge Cullen again excused himself from recording his vote.

The governor received the news of his removal in silence at the executive mansion, where he had waited all morning to hear the result.

Prior to the vote on his disqualification and removal, the last four articles of the impeachment charges, five, six, seven and eight, were unanimously voted out.

A few minutes before twelve o'clock Judge Cullen announced formally: "The governor is hereby removed."

At 12:01 the court was officially adjourned. Prior to adjournment, Judge Cullen announced that the ban of secrecy on all that had transpired in the secret sessions was removed.

Court was in session little more than an hour. It was officially adjourned a minute after twelve o'clock.

Martin H. Glynn, of Albany, the acting-governor, became governor. Robert F. Wagner, of New York, majority leader of the senate, became lieutenant-governor.

No official notice of removal was given Sulzer. A record of the decision of the court was filed with the secretary of state, thus complying with all the legal requirements to remove the governor.

Martin H. Glynn, the new governor of New York as the result of the removal of Governor Sulzer, issued a statement this afternoon, saying that he would insist on "economical, clean, orderly and efficient transaction of the state's business."

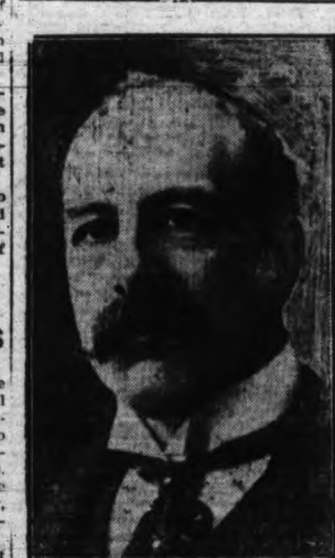
He declared: "I will not devote the time which I owe to the state to partisan politics."

"This is not an occasion for exultation," he said, "and I have no such feeling. To me it is an occasion of solemnity mixed with sadness."

Mr. Glynn was sworn in as governor at 3:44 o'clock this afternoon. Presiding Judge Cullen, of the Court of Appeals, administered the oath of office.

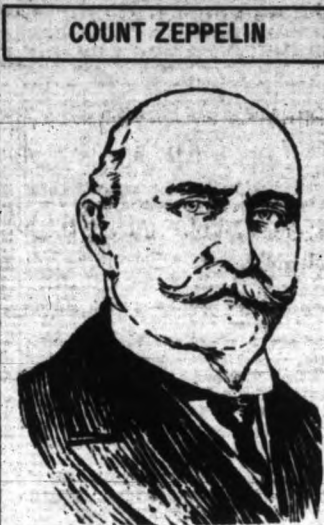
STABBED BEAR TO DEATH.
Columbus, Mont., Oct. 17.—Charles W. Brazier, a rancher, found a bear enjoying himself with a sack of turnips in his barn. The rancher drew a heavy clasp-knife and aimed a blow at the animal's neck, back of the head, but Bruin stirred just as Brazier struck and the blade entered the eye. With hardly a grunt, the bear rolled over dead. The knife entered the animal's brain.

SIR ALFRED MOND



Sir Alfred Mond, M. P. for Swansea, England, is now in Eastern Canada and will address several Canadian clubs during his tour. He will probably visit Victoria.

Dirigible Falls Nine Hundred Feet Twenty-Six Passengers Are Killed



Count Zeppelin
Inventor whose airships have met with singular ill-fortune, the seventh being destroyed to-day.

AIR CRAFT SEVENTH ZEPPELIN DESTROYED

Catastrophe Causes Conster-
nation in Aeronautical Cir-
cles of Berlin

Berlin, Oct. 17.—Following shortly on the disaster of September 2 last when a similar craft just launched for the navy as "L-1" was destroyed in a hurricane with the loss of fifteen men, the news of to-day's catastrophe has caused consternation in aeronautical circles if not throughout the capital.

The "L-2" was the latest and largest of the new craft designed for the German navy. It was about 500 feet long. The Zeppelin airships have been inventively by the aged soldier-count. Seven of them have been destroyed by fire, explosion or wreck. Zeppelin's L. II and VI, Deutschland I and II, and now the "L-1" and "L-2," the first big airships attached to the German navy, have met with disaster in this way.

J. C. DONALD DROWNED FELL FROM ROWBOAT

Well Known Vancouver Broker Was
Formerly Newspaper
Editor.

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—J. C. Donald, a well-known broker, was drowned yesterday in English Bay, having apparently fallen out of a rowboat while on his way to the Country Club at Jericho Beach to play golf. He left his home at 9:30 o'clock, went to Simpson's bathhouse, chatted pleasantly for a moment with several workmen who were painting a pier and started across the bay. At 2 o'clock the boat was found by William Burchell and Robert Nicholson floating about a mile off Kilsnoan. In it were Mr. Donald's coat, containing some personal papers, and his hat. One oar was also missing. It looks as if one oar had failed to hold the water and slipped out of the rowlock, causing the oarsman to fall overboard. This theory is strengthened by the fact that Mr. Donald was not an experienced oarsman.

Mr. Donald leaves a wife and one child a year old. He was a brother-in-law of Major J. S. Tait and Walter E. Graveley. He was a member of the Vancouver and Country clubs and, especially among a large acquaintance of business men, was well known and very popular.

Born in Nova Scotia 43 years ago, Mr. Donald lived quite a number of years in the United States. He was a newspaper man in San Francisco, first on the Examiner and later was day editor of the Associated Press. He came to Vancouver ten years ago.

ON WAY TO CANADA.

London, Oct. 17.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, accompanied by Princess Patricia, their youngest daughter, left London for Liverpool, whence they will sail to Canada on board the Empress of Britain. The duke will resume his duties as governor-general on his arrival.

SENATOR M'KEEN ILL.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 17.—Senator McKeen has been dangerously ill for the past four days with severe attack of sciatica but he is much brighter this morning and is considered on a fair way to recovery.

ZEPPELIN AIRSHIP FIVE HUNDRED FEET LONG EXPLODES IN MID AIR

Entire German Admiralty Trial Board Killed by Fall or Flames;
Crumpled Wreck Strikes Public Highway; Officer Who
Was Guest of Party is Only One to Escape Instant
Death; Bodies Were Unrecognizable

Berlin, Oct. 17.—The newest and largest of the Zeppelin war airships, the "L-II," was destroyed in mid-air by an explosion at 10.15 o'clock this morning. All but one of the twenty-seven military men on board, including the entire Admiralty trial board, were killed.

The disaster occurred just above the main street in the city of Johannisthal, while the dirigible, 500 feet long, was making a trial trip, preliminary to its acceptance as flagship of the new German aerial navy.

Dropped Nine Hundred Feet.

The shattered hulk of the airship, a mass of blazing canvas and crumpled aluminum, dropped 900 feet into the public highway leading into Johannisthal, its blackened wreck of twisted aluminum framework blocking the road. The exact cause of the accident is unknown.

The dirigible had just left its shed and had traversed barely a quarter of a mile in the direction of Berlin. Spectators suddenly saw a mighty pillar of fire shoot from the middle of the balloon and the next instant the craft was a mass of flame plunging to earth, burying those aboard beneath its wreckage.

But One Survivor.

Lieutenant Baron von Blunt, of the Queen-Augusta Grenadier Guards, who was making the trip as a guest, was the only survivor. His condition is critical. Many of the bodies were so burned and mangled as to be unrecognizable.

The Admiralty trial board consisted of seven officers, including Lieut. Commander Behnisch and Senior Lieut. Freyer, of the German naval flying corps. The airship's pilot was Captain Gluth, a veteran steersman in the employ of Count Zeppelin. Naval Constructors Neumann and Pletzer and Naval Engineer Busch were among those on board the airship. Lieut. Commander Behnisch was a close friend of the emperor. He was formerly navigating officer of the imperial yacht Hohenzollern and later commander of the cruiser Panther. Lieut. Freyer was also a favorite of Emperor William. He was formerly personal adjutant of Prince Adalbert, one of the sons of the emperor.

Headed for Berlin.

The dirigible balloon before she left the balloon hall at Johannisthal took on board her regular naval crew and a number of officers. She headed for Berlin, a short distance away, in a light wind. About a dozen aviators were circling the aerodrome at the time in aeroplanes. Everything was apparently in good order on the airship. She was gradually getting up speed when suddenly an explosion was heard by those on the ground, evidently in one of the motors in the centre gondola. There was a flash and the next instant the whole ship was aflame and plunging downward. Every inch of the canvas covering and the balloonets disappeared in a moment.

A second and more violent explosion was then heard, the fire having reached the gasoline tanks, filled with about a ton of liquid fuel. Before the echoes of the explosion had died down, the wreck of the most modern of Germany's dirigibles lay a flaming mass on the ground.

Blown Through Car.

Volunteers armed with axes hacked at the wreckage for two hours before they extricated the bodies of the victims. The dead were borne to the balloon hall and a company of soldiers roped off the place to keep back the crowd. The six inmates of the centre gondola had been blown through the side of the car by the first explosion, and their bodies fell a quarter of a mile away from the wreck of the balloon, which was travelling at forty miles an hour when the accident happened.

Two of the crew were alive when rescuers reached the wreckage. One of them, however, died before he was extricated. The other, Lieut. Baron Blunt, was desperately injured. Both his eyes were burned out. He urged the rescuers to kill him. Besides the officers already mentioned, Lieut. Trunk, who was second in command; Chief Engineer Hausmann and three engineer secretaries from the Admiralty board were killed.

Experts Are Puzzled.

Ballooning experts were unable to establish definitely the cause of the catastrophe. The experts say, the catastrophe was probably due to the collection of an explosive mixture of gas and air in the tunnel running inside the airship and connecting the three gondolas, which perhaps was exploded by the back fire of a carburetor or by a spark from a magneto. This would account for the rapidity of the destruction of the balloon. The airship carried two tons of gasoline.

Baron von Blunt at a late hour this afternoon was still alive.

Eye Witness Tells Story.

A director of one of the aviation companies at the Johannisthal aerodrome was an eye witness of the disaster. He described it as follows: "I was in my office about 500 yards from the scene of the accident when I was startled by an explosion of extraordinary violence. My first thought was that an aeroplane had landed on the roof of my building and that the gasoline tank had exploded."

"I rushed to a window and saw the new dirigible in flames and plunging toward the earth. The outer covering had been already burned off and the inner balloonets containing the gas had disappeared."

"The naked aluminum framework with its long centrepieces, its interlaced ribs and its tapering ends, and the gondolas containing the motors beneath, fell bow foremost. When the skeleton of the immense craft struck, the heavy gondolas buried themselves in the ground."

EIGHTY-FOUR AT NANAIMO TAKE TRIAL BY JURY WHILE THREE ELECT SPEEDY TRIALS

Nanaimo, Oct. 17.—The eighty-seven persons accused in connection with the recent strike disturbances in this city appeared before Judge Howay this morning, and on given opportunity to re-elect all the men elected trial by jury with the exception of George Pettigrew, Frank Ireland and John Nelson, who elected speedy trial on the charge of intimidation.

By arrangement between counsel the date of the speedy trial was set for Wednesday morning next.

Those who appeared in court this morning were brought from the Victoria jail on a special train which arrived here at 10:30. A crowd of several hundred, including the wives and relatives of the prisoners, gathered at the railway station to greet the prisoners upon their arrival here, but in order to avoid a possible demonstration the authorities rushed the train several blocks beyond the station and detrain-

COMMANDER SUICIDES.

Colchester, Conn., Oct. 17.—Commander Charles A. Brand, U. S. N., retired, committed suicide by shooting this morning in the woods a quarter of a mile from his home. His act was caused, it is believed, by ill-health.

GEORGE W. NELEY DEAD.

London, Ont., Oct. 17.—Geo. W. Neley, M. P. for East Middlesex, died this morning at his home in Dorchester. Mr. Neley has been ill with heart trouble for some months and only returned a short time ago from a long trip for his health.



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MEN REFUSED DUTY ON MOUNT TEMPLE

Mutineers Declared Ship an Extra Risk and Were Found Guilty

Montreal, Oct. 17.—Mutiny started on board the C. P. R. liner Mount Temple yesterday, ended before Judge Lancelot in the arraignment in court of the mutineers, who said they were willing to go back to the vessel and sail on her if his honor decided she was seaworthy.

Judge Lancelot said he had nothing to do with deciding whether the vessel was seaworthy or not. The only thing for him to decide was whether the three accused were guilty of refusing to obey the lawful commands of the captain of the ship.

When the accused were informed that in case they were found guilty they would be held responsible for whatever expense was incurred by the delay in the sailing of the Mount Temple, and it would be deducted from their wages, the men declared that they had no desire to delay the sailing of the ship, but had simply asked for a bonus because they considered sailing on her was an extra risk.

Captain Moore of the Mount Temple stated that his vessel was in perfect condition, and had been granted a certificate of seaworthiness. Captain Reid, port warden and Lloyd's surveyor, identified the certificate of seaworthiness he had issued to the vessel.

On the evidence of Captain Moore and Captain Reid, Judge Lancelot found the accused guilty, but they were allowed to go on suspended sentence, and the Mount Temple cleared for London an hour later.

MISSION FUND HIGH REACHING \$307,500

Money Placed Upon Altar and Consecrated During Service at New York

New York, Oct. 17.—More than \$307,500 was received at the triennial offering service of the women's auxiliary of the board of missions of the Protestant Episcopal church at the cathedral of St. John the Divine.

There were more than 3,000 women crowded into the cathedral. The altar basin was so heavy that Bishop Greer could not lift it and he called Dean Grosvenor and Canon Francis Little to his aid. Except for the money covered by the value of the money covered the altar.

More than 5,000 waited two hours in the afternoon in Carnegie hall at the triennial mass meeting of the missionary auxiliary to hear the amount of the collection announced, only to be informed by Bishop Greer that he had received word from George Gordon, treasurer of the board of missions, that he and his helpers were still counting.

Coincident with the gifts to missions the women of the Episcopal church presented \$16,000 personally to Miss Julia C. Emery, general secretary of the auxiliary, in token of her completion of 40 years of service in that position. Bishop Arthur S. Lloyd, president of the board of missions, made the announcement. Amid applause Miss Emery rose, bowed and smiled. Bishop Lloyd explained that every diocese and missionary jurisdiction in this country, each of the foreign dioceses and every one of the American churches in Europe had contributed.

At the cathedral service it seemed as if the money would never stop pouring in. The regular officers, under the direction of Walter M. Davidson, president of the Laymen's Club of the cathedral, went down the aisles with the silver plate as for an ordinary Sunday offering. Very soon they had to return because the receptacles were filled. At the chance they poured the drafts, checks, gold pieces and greenbacks into the big altar basin of gold.

In a very short time the gold basin became too small. Then something happened in a Protestant Episcopal church before. The overflow money was piled into a drawer and the drawer was placed on the marble altar and its contents consecrated.

The drawers, the gold basin, however, would not hold all of the wealth offered. The six silver plates were stacked and carried to the altar. Bishop Greer and Bishop Lloyd commented upon the remarkable incident.

The women of Boston sent a draft for \$10,000, and the offering of the diocese of New York before the service equalled \$35,310. Later it grew considerably. The project at present is to set aside \$20,000 for a needed building on the mission field and to use all the rest for mission work among women by women.

BRITISH SUFFRAGIST OPPOSES MILITANCY

Mrs. Pankhurst's Method Denounced by Mrs. Armistead Ghant.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 17.—The English suffragists in general, and Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst in particular, were denounced by Mrs. Armistead Ghant on her arrival from Liverpool to-day. "Mrs. Pankhurst," she said, "has written a most shameful chapter in the history of women's progress."

Mrs. Ghant, who heads a company of British delegates to the national convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union at Brooklyn, October 23, is one of the leaders of the peaceful suffragists of England, who are opposed to Mrs. Pankhurst and her militant organization, and who, according to Mrs. Ghant, are the "only really serious workers for women's rights."

She expressed regret that Mrs. Pankhurst was to be allowed "to exploit her vicious, shameful propaganda in this country."

FORT FRASER STATION SITE IS APPROVED

Order Issued by Railway Commission at Request of Townsite Company.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The board of railway commissioners have issued an order approving the station site and station at Fort Fraser, mile 22.5, Prince Rupert East, British Columbia. This will give to Fort Fraser first-class railway facilities, as the station, sidings, etc., are located at the point where the owners of Fort Fraser townsite desire them.

In his judgment dealing with the matter, Chairman Drayton remarked that as no objection to the granting of the application had been filed by the chief engineer of the department of railways for the province of British Columbia, although duly notified, there was no reason why the application should not be granted.

BOYS BURY TREASURE BUT FORGET LOCATION

Calumet, Mich., Oct. 17.—Two 12-year-old lads of Lake Linden, Will Leckers and Joseph Tremblay, who found a fortune of \$20,000 and have been spending portions of it unknown to their parents, have lost their treasure trove. A year ago the boys, playing on the site of the old Benallack mine, uncovered an iron box containing over \$20,000 in gold and silver coins.

They hid the box and since that time have been dipping into it whenever they wanted money. A few days ago, suspecting that someone else had found the hiding place of the box, they buried it beneath the Houghton-Douglas falls.

CAPTAIN INCH TELLS HIS STORY OF FIRE

Denies Cowardice on Volturmo or Use of Revolver During Ocean Calamity

New York, Oct. 17.—Capt. Francis Inch, who commanded the Volturmo, came to port last night, bringing with him 37 survivors, passengers and crew of his ill-starred vessel. His story of the disaster, in which 135 lives were lost, had preceded him by wireless, but in the cabin of the Koonland, which brought him here, Capt. Inch described more vividly than the wireless the loss of the Volturmo and the rescue of more than 300 of the passengers he had on board.

Cowardice there was none on the Volturmo, either among officers or crew, Captain Inch said. There was no rush of seamen which made it necessary for him to warn them back with his revolver. His revolver was in his cabin, and it burned with the ship. No one on board drew a revolver.

These statements were intended to refute the stories told by stateroom passengers who arrived on the Grosvenor Kurfurst. The Volturmo's master, besides defending his own officers and men, said he had no criticism to make of the tactics of any of the boats that stood by.

"The Carmania did its best, the same as the others," said Capt. Inch. "There is nothing but praise for everyone. I did not expect a boat could live in those seas when the Carmania and the other first few ships came up."

Captain Inch denied reports of rotten tackle and fire hose and of unsafe lifeboats, saying all of these articles were in good condition. He counted only three explosions, the last one wrecking wheels and compass, so that a hand-gear had to be rigged up.

Charles P. Sumner, general agent for the Cunard line in this country, says he believed the criticism meted out to the Carmania by many on the other rescuing boats was unfair. If no effort had been made to launch boats from the Volturmo there would have been practically no loss of life so far as one could judge from the reports at hand.

The judgment of Captain Barr was amply upheld by what happened to the boats launched from the Volturmo," Mr. Sumner said. "The Carmania was the first vessel on the scene. When she had arrived she was asked by Captain Inch to search the sea for two small boats thought to have got away from the Volturmo. On her return she found the other vessels gathered around the burning ship, and being difficult of handling, lay off to windward, so that her great bulk might act as a breakwater for the life-boats of the other vessels."

London, Oct. 17.—The oil tanker Narragansett, which, by scattering tons of oil on the raging sea greatly aided the work of rescuing survivors of the Volturmo, received a great reception on her arrival in the Thames yesterday.

"Liners should carry oil tanks as well as life-boats for saving life at sea," said Capt. Haywood. "The effect of the oil in subduing the terrible seas about the Volturmo was marvelous. I started out pumping out oil under her stern at 7.30 o'clock Friday morning. Eleven minutes later we were able to launch two life-boats, which brought off 29 survivors."

"Altogether I used about 50 tons of lubricating oil. I believe that if the Narragansett had been able to reach the Volturmo a day earlier, not a single life would have been lost in the sea."

"POP" ANSON LEARNS ONE FROM PRESIDENT

Gets Footlight "Hit" for Future Use When Calling at the White House.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—Clark Griffith, "Pop" Anson and "Brownie" Burke, noted in baseball, called on President Wilson yesterday. Anson, former captain of the Chicago world-beaters, is doing a monologue at a local theatre. The president greeted him cordially.

"I have been putting this across the footlights," said Anson, "and it has made a hit. I tell 'em that 'Pop' was content to manage his team from the bench, that Teddy wanted to play all the nine positions and do his own rooting, but the Democrats bunched their hits and his Wilson—that's all."

"All that is left for me then, I guess," said President Wilson, "is to umpire."

"That's a good one. I guess I'll put that across too," said Anson.

SNOW AND RAIN STAY OPERATIONS OF HARVEST

Saskatchewan Crops Uninjured But Threshing Has Been Interfered With.

Regina, Sask., Oct. 17.—Recent wet weather, followed by a "snow" fall, seriously interfered with threshing operations, according to reports received at the department of agriculture. The bad weather is also responsible for a shortage of money. Many of the gangs having broken up. No injury has resulted to the crops. In fact in many districts where the grain is dry the result has been beneficial. Owing to dry conditions the heads of the grain were threshed, the heads of the grain were chopped off in the machine and the dry straw would choke up the machinery. On account of the bad roads the shipping has fallen off considerably. The department of agriculture has issued warning to the farmers not to recommence threshing operations without giving the grain time to dry.

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FREIGHT RATES CASE UP ON NOVEMBER 24

Chairman Drayton Issues Order for Meeting of Board in Ottawa

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The final hearing of the Western freight rates case will open in Ottawa on November 24, and the expectation here is that it will last at least a week. Chairman Drayton has given out a somewhat lengthy memorandum dealing with the matter. This document stated that Louis & Smellie, of Ottawa, acting on behalf of the province of British Columbia, had applied for an order directing the C. P. R. Company to file with the board certain information which is stated to be required for the proper presentation of the British Columbia case. The information asked for was in part as follows:

1. A statement showing the amount of through freight transportation over the railway in British Columbia during April, May and June, 1912 and 1913; the place of origin and destination of such freight; the nature of each shipment; the total charge made therefore; the amount of credit allowed to the British Columbia division on each shipment and whether the same was a carload or less than a carload shipment.

2. A statement showing the total miles and revenue for each of the four Western divisions and the proportion of division, through tons, miles, revenue apportioned or credited to each of such divisions, for the railway's fiscal year ending January, 1911 and 1912 and 1913, or such other fiscal years as the railway has record of.

The memorandum continues: "This question has been taken up with the different traffic officers who have advised that if it is possible to get the information at all, it will probably take at least six months to prepare it. Upon referring to the files I find a meeting was held in Montreal, presided over by the late Chief Commissioner Mayhew, on January 18, 1911, and that different demands were then made by Mr. Macdonald, representing British Columbia, for information of the character now asked for, and attempts were made by him to secure it by subpoenaing the proper officers of the company. I find that, for instance, in cross-examination, Mr. Moule was pressed as to the amount of through tonnage and the amount of the local tonnage on the British Columbia division, and he then answered that no such statistics were kept by the company."

"His further cross-examination showed that it would take several months, with a cross-examination of the complete statistics, and that in order to complete them it would be necessary to go back to the original way bills. On the evidence given the board did not make, and could not very well have made, an order directing the production of statistics which did not exist. Certain other forms and information then asked for by Mr. Macdonald, which forms and information the company could produce, were filed as directed by the late chief commissioner."

"The whole issue was argued by Mr. Macdonald at a meeting of the board on February 12, 1913, when Mr. Macdonald pressed for an immediate order, pointing out that two years had gone since the application was made, and he did not seem to be at any loss in the presentation of his case."

"The board is anxious that every interest should have a reasonable opportunity for the proper preparation and presentation of its views, but the case cannot drag on much longer. The board themselves has fixed Monday, November 24 next, for the hearing in Ottawa."

Assistant Chief Commissioner Scott and Commissioners Mills and McLean concurred in the above memo.

HUSBAND AND WIFE DECIDE ON DEATH

Chicago, Oct. 16.—"We decided to die. She cut her throat. I shot myself and stuck myself in the throat with a pen-knife," William E. Ellis, of Cincinnati, told hotel employees here to-day, who answered the incoherent telephone message from his room. They found Ellis suffering from three bullet wounds and a cut on his neck, while his wife lay dead on the bed. Examination of her body showed she had been shot twice under the left arm.

The couple arrived here last night, and told hotel employees to-night was their wedding anniversary. Ellis is a member of the wholesale leather firm of G. F. Ellis & Company, of Cincinnati. He was taken to the city jail where it was said he had a good chance of recovery.

TO HUNT TROGLDYDE.

New York, Oct. 17.—John C. Hemment, a photographer, who was with the Paul J. Rainey expedition in Africa, will start again for the dark continent at the head of an expedition of his own. He will take with him a pack of silent dogs that hunt in the dark and will use them to hunt the troglodyde, a huge ape never seen in captivity.

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA TO START RIVER PROJECT

American Engineer Engaged to Estimate Cost of Lake Victoria Scheme

Adelaide, South Australia, Oct. 17.—Although the vexed question of the apportionment between the states concerned of the waters of the river Murray is not yet settled, the South Australian government is determined to lose no time in carrying out its policy for the proper utilization of this great waterway in so far as it is within its control.

This was evidenced when the commissioner of public works (Sir Richard Butler, M. P.), introduced to parliament a bill for the authorization of the construction by the state of storage works at Lake Victoria, some 30 miles beyond the South Australian border.

The commissioner in his speech on the measure stated that Capt. Johnston, the United States engineering expert engaged by the government, had estimated the cost of the Lake Victoria scheme at \$463,000. The engineer-in-chief of South Australia had since made elaborate surveys of the river and the lake, and he had set down the cost of the works, which would be partly in New South Wales and partly in Victoria, at \$483,000.

It was, however, not necessary for all the works at Lake Victoria to be constructed at once, and the estimated expenditure could for the time being be reduced by about \$100,000. The capacity of Lake Victoria was 22,000,000 cubic feet, which would be sufficient to irrigate 144,000 acres with three feet of water, and to increase the depth of the lower river by two feet for two months.

Referring to the general scheme of locking the river which the government proposes to undertake, the commissioner said that Capt. Johnston would arrive in South Africa and the work would then be proceeded with. The first lock, near Swan Reach, would be commenced in the course of a few months.

MAY DESTROY FAMOUS PAVILION AT BRIGHTON

Oriental Designed Edifice Was Built for Prince of Wales in 1784

Brighton, Eng., Oct. 17.—It seems possible that one of the landmarks of Brighton's popularity with royalty at the beginning of the last century will disappear in the near future, for, at a recent meeting of the town council, on alterations to the royal pavilion, Alderman Carden declared it his opinion that the building should be pulled down and a new and magnificent hall erected in its place.

Though this would cost some £250,000 to build, he said that the present financial prosperity of Brighton would certainly justify them in such an outlay, especially as it would be likely to add thousands to the already large number of people who visit Brighton annually. The famous pavilion is a fantastic Oriental building with numerous domes and minarets. It was first built in 1784 for the Prince of Wales, afterwards George IV., and was altered some 30 years later by Nash, the architect of Regent street in London.

It was bought in 1859 by the corporation for the sum of £53,000 and has since been used for the entertainment of visitors and residents. The former stables have been converted into a magnificent concert hall, known as the Dome, where first class concerts are given.

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Nanaimo, Oct. 17.—The trial of the six Ladysmith men charged with rioting in August ended yesterday. Judge Howay finding Robert Walkinshaw, Charles Axelson, William Bauld, Peter Guleski and J. Armstrong guilty of the charges, and reserving sentence in all the cases pending the appeal of counsel for the defence, for the clemency of the court on behalf of the 34 who pleaded guilty at the opening of the trial.

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MISERABLE WAIL ABOUT HIGH COST OF LIVING.

The Montreal Star is constrained to admit that Canadian consumers have been hard hit already by the new tariff of the United States, although that measure has been in force for only a few days. From the dismal tones of our contemporary's remarks one would think it is almost ready to shed tears, if it had tears to shed, at the prospects that lie before Canadians under the new economic dispensation that has come into force. The Star says:

"One of the first persons to be hit by the new American tariff is the Canadian consumer. His cost of living has consequently gone up. Those who claim that the opening of the American market would be a great boon to us—a boon which we rejected when we declined to ratify the reciprocity bargain—can now explain to the Canadian consumer, who thought that he was paying enough for his living before."

"The consumer is the weakest, most unorganized and least vocal class in the community. Yet that class is the largest. The consumer suffers, but he has no way of getting back at the condition which makes him suffer. We organize ourselves on the lines of production—not of consumption. So when the consumer only is hit there is little political result. But the consumer is simply everybody, and if the consumer is hurt the whole community suffers."

It was the Star and its friends who maintained that securing the American market would be a great boon to Canadians, a boon which could be obtained without alteration of Canada's tariff. They told the people that the Republican administration was doomed and that all the advantages of reciprocity would assuredly fall to Canada as soon as the Democrats attained office without the disadvantages of cutting down or abolishing the duties we collect on importations from the United States. Now that we have the alleged advantage of reciprocity without any of its so-called disadvantages, the Star, and all who aided and abetted it in its campaign of blindness and bigotry, are beginning to open their eyes to a great economic truth: that freedom of commerce as untrammelled exchange between individuals. Americans can now buy nearly all the natural products of the soil from Canadians without paying taxes thereon. Canadians cannot import American products without paying to the agents of their government heavy duties thereon. The result is precisely what any individual of common sense might have anticipated. The flow of trade is largely in one direction. The Americans are getting cheaper food and goods, a becoming dearer, not only because a new demand has been created but because the channels of commerce being artificially dammed and the supply limited to that extent, prices just naturally rise.

We suspect that the Montreal Star will be compelled to cease from bemoaning the fate of the poor unprotected consumer and to turn its guns upon those who are primarily responsible for the increasing cost of living, upon the men who stand for high protection and the government which is the mere tool of these rapacious "interests."

HOW TO SETTLE IT.

If Mr. Borden will adopt a permanent naval policy on the Australian model he will receive the support of the Liberal party in Canada. This policy would involve the organization of two fleet units; the construction of ships as far as possible in this country; the training of officers and men in Canada and Canadian control in time of peace. It can be carried out under the Naval Service Act of 1910, which can be easily amended in any detail necessary to the completion of the scheme. Two dreadnoughts can be ordered in Great Britain, but the cruisers, torpedo boats and submarines should be constructed in Canada. British

shipbuilders are ready to establish plants in this country for the purpose. The Admiralty will give the same assistance to the Dominion in carrying out this programme it gave to the Australian authorities.

It is useless to urge an emergency cash contribution. The "immediate" emergency upon which we were originally asked by Mr. Borden to support his proposal has been proven to be unfounded. Subsequent developments—the naval agreement with Germany, the dispatch of a formidable squadron to the Mediterranean and the establishment of a new base at Bermuda—have shown that it is not an emergent condition imperilling British interests or integrity in any one special zone which faces Britain, but a condition evolved from naval competition which is world-wide. Until Australia organized her fleet the only fighting ships flying the white ensign on this ocean were the vessels of the China squadron, which have been denuded in consequence of the establishment of the station at Bermuda. And yet there are vast interests to protect. Trade routes are multiplying, the trans-Pacific commerce of Canada, Australia and New Zealand is expanding, but as far as this dominion is concerned no steps have been taken to protect them. The Admiralty is unable to provide vessels for Pacific patrol. The growing naval strength of Austria and Italy in the Mediterranean makes it imperative to keep a powerful squadron in that sea for the protection of the trade route to India and the security of Egypt. This concentration in the Mediterranean can be more readily understood when we realize that India, in point of trade, is more important to Britain than all the other dominions together.

The Pacific dominions, then, should take up the burden on this ocean. It is the only logical and natural course for self-respecting nations to adopt. That they can do this Australia has incontestably shown. A Canadian unit in co-operation with an Australian and British China squadron would relieve the Old Country from anxiety on the score of inadequate naval representation on the Pacific. It would provide the protection which this coast now lacks and which could not be furnished by a squadron based on Gibraltar.

Mr. Borden's objection to a Canadian navy is mainly political. He fears that a Canadian naval policy would lose him what strength he gained in Quebec in consequence of his opposition to it. But he should not fear to do what Sir Wilfrid Laurier did. The latter had everything to lose and nothing to gain, and yet he advocated a Canadian navy in the very stronghold of Nationalism. If Mr. Borden will adopt the Australian plan he will be strongly backed by Sir Wilfrid and the navy question will be in that happy position it was before 1910, when both political parties endorsed the same policy.

THE CENTENARY OF LEIPZIG.

Germany is celebrating the centenary of the great battle which liberated her from the yoke of the Corsican conqueror, which she had worn for six years, and paved the way to his exile at Elba. A century ago to-day an allied host of three hundred thousand men, composed of the armies of Russia, Austria, Sweden and Prussia, confronted the two hundred thousand soldiers of Napoleon at Leipzig, and after three days' terrific fighting drove them from the field. The conflict, known as the "Battle of Nations," began with indecisive skirmishes on October 17, 1813, and was not determined until the following day, when Napoleon learned what it was to quaff from the cup he had so often held out to others. It was the first serious reverse in actual combat he had suffered in his dazzling career. The coup de grace was administered a year later on the field of Waterloo, when the star of his glory was darkened forever.

And yet Leipzig might never have been fought had Napoleon not lost the balance of his judgment. He might have remained Emperor of the French, with dominion over a considerable area of Germany, had he followed the dictates of reason. When he returned from the Russian campaign, where he left half a million men lying in their last sleep on the frozen steppes, he was still formidable. He had hastened to France, raised, armed, clothed, equipped and drilled an army in the space of a few months, and was ready to face the host which followed on his trail. It was not the army of Italy nor that of Austerlitz, Jena, Wagram, or even of Eylau or Friedland. Had it contained more than a handful of his magnificent legions of other days, even Leipzig might have been added to the scroll of his triumphs. But his soldiers were boys, who suffered as boys do under the strain and miseries of war. His marshals, too, had become dispirited by memories of that harrowing retreat from Moscow. They lacked the confidence and iron nerve, as they lacked the genius, of their mighty chief. And yet in the face of these obstacles Napoleon, dashing into Germany, defeated the allied Prussians, Russians and Swedes at Baut-

zen and Lutzen. The allies were ready then to treat for peace. They realized that the lion could still strike with deadly effect. Austria, which had remained neutral up to that point, urged the Emperor to abandon some of his extravagant pretensions, and was seconded by his bravest generals and wisest counselors. But he would grant no concessions nor take no compromise. Prussia had joined his enemies, and he would crush her to the earth, and, as he had done before, would dictate terms from Berlin. He would accept no peace he did not impose; he would dare all, and lose everything rather than renounce anything, even though it was not essential to his power.

His contumacy threw Austria into the enemy's camp, and he then had to face the whole of Europe, because Britain was driving his armies from Spain across the Pyrenees at the same time. The allies invested Dresden, and here Napoleon fought and won the last and one of the greatest of his victories. On August 27 he crumpled up the right wing of his enemy like paper, turned his left wing, and by three o'clock in the afternoon the 200,000 Russians, Austrians and Prussians were in full retreat.

Napoleon, quick to follow up his advantage, gave orders to cut off their retreat. But his marshals did not wear his invincible sword nor carry his indomitable spirit. Gerard, Vandamme, Gudinot and Macdonald, blundering, were each heavily defeated, and their master, who had remained at Dresden perfecting his plans, found all his projects for crushing Germany dashed to the ground. Then came Leipzig, which Germany and Austria are now commemorating, and finally, after a defensive campaign by Napoleon on French soil, which Wellington has described as among the most brilliant exhibitions of military genius in the face of insuperable obstacles, the eagle was caged at Elba.

To-day France and Russia, then deadly enemies, are allies. Britain and France are locked together in an entente cordiale. Germany and Austria are still hand in hand, although nearly fifty years ago they were at one another's throats at Sadowa. The map has been recast several times, but continental Europe is yet an armed camp. Frenchmen still warm themselves with the memories of those achievements which made their country the mistress of a continent. The Germans still write under the recollections of their humiliations at the hands of an implacable conqueror, which even the victories of Leipzig, Waterloo, Gravelotte and Sedan have not obliterated.

An Ottawa dispatch says all the Nationalist members of Mr. Borden's cabinet will retire shortly. Not until positions have been provided for them that promise to be more enduring than the posts they at present occupy. Chateauguay notwithstanding, it is evident that the Nationalists in the government, who were never anything more than mere office-seekers, have serious doubts respecting the durability of the Borden regime. And for that matter, judging by the eagerness with which positions under the government are being sought by Conservatives in parliament and out of it in all parts of the country, what is true of the Nationalists applies to others.

Tammany has won and Governor Sulzer must leave the People's House—his name for the executive mansion at Albany. The man who resists the dictatorship of Boss Murphy must be like Caesar's wife, above suspicion. Gaynor did so as Mayor, but Gaynor was clothed in the armor of honesty and the barbed shafts of Tammany could not hurt him. But has there been anything so grotesque in the history of American politics as a foul-smelling institution like Tammany accusing anybody of corruption?

Governor Sulzer of New York has been found guilty of the charges under which he was impeached. We gather that this enterprising politician was guilty of malfeasance both out of and in office. He appropriated funds to his own personal purposes that were intended for use in a campaign. Our neighbors are pursuing crooked politicians to some purpose. Our own hero of Chateauguay may yet be found out. Or rather he may be convicted of some of the political crimes that already have been found out.

The Prince Albert Times asks: When was the last annual convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at which the Right Hon. R. L. Borden was not present, and which he did not address? Don't all speak at once. No one knows, eh? Here's another: When and where was the last labor or agricultural convention which the Canadian Premier attended, and to which he spoke words of wisdom, loyalty and good cheer?

The Toronto Globe publishes a cartoon showing the hundreds who surrounded the bulletin board reading the reports of the big baseball series in New York and Philadelphia, while another board containing the results of the important election at Chateauguay was honored by the attention of only one or two people. Are we becoming an adjunct? Is the Empire going to be destroyed by baseball? Imperialists, beware!

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ing an adjunct? Is the Empire going to be destroyed by baseball? Imperialists, beware!

The publishers of the Daily Mail, a new paper which has just made its appearance in Montreal, that centre of journalistic warfare, are said to have circulated their first issue by aeroplane. Who says the newspapers of Canada are not enterprising? Furthermore, who will assert that the flying machine is not destined to play an important part in the wars of the future?

A strong under-current of dissatisfaction with the revolutionary tactics of Sir Edward Carson has developed among many of the responsible anti-home rule business men of Ulster. They are ready to oppose the measure by every constitutional means, but are averse to unfurling the red flag of revolt. They do not wish to see a flourishing district hopelessly crippled even to prevent the establishment of an Irish parliament at Dublin.

The Colonist prints a picture of the bridge at Delkahlia with this legend, adorning it: "The camera cannot lie." Inasmuch as the structure as depicted in our contemporary amply bears out the statement of our correspondent, W. W. Baer, the conclusion of the ordinary person of candid habit of mind is apt to be that some people who handle cameras are not above creating an impression that is equivalent to a lie.

Sir Gilbert Parker says that when the women of England get the vote he will take the veil. This is a terrible threat. The world, and particularly that part of the world which has been illumined by the author of "Pierre and His People," would suffer a distinct loss of Sir Gilbert were to get to a nunnery. Will the Suffragettes refuse to have compassion?

Wonder if the day ever will come when we shall be reading with concealed excitement details of a great baseball series between London, Manchester, Liverpool, Birmingham, Sheffield and Leeds teams. One can never tell. Cricket was once the national game of the United States.

Parliament will not be called until the middle of January. The reason for the delay is that the ministers have been so busy running up travelling expenses that they have been neglecting their departmental duties. They are less prepared for the opening of parliament than the humblest member.

The auditor-general's report this year will be bulkier than usual, says an Ottawa dispatch. Due to the long list of travelling expenses of the ministers, no doubt. Every time an important document reaches the capital from London a Canadian minister crosses the ocean to see about it.

The New York Sun, commenting on the death in England of a man who went on a hunger strike, hints that after all there is one law for men and another for women.

THE WORST TAXATION.

Taxation on what people eat is the worst kind of taxation. There is the tax that presses on the poor man, while it is hardly felt by his wealthier neighbor. Take off the duty on wheat by all means. It would have been done two years ago if the Liberals had remained in power. But do not stop at that. Years ago we followed the example of the people of the United States in putting heavy indirect taxes upon the people. Our neighbors have seen the folly of their past action, and are trying to lighten their burdens. We followed their bad example; it is time to follow them when their example is good.

DADDY'S ERRAND.

From the Woodstock Sentinel-Review.
One of the most striking arguments against war we have seen in a long time is to be found in the last number of Life. It is a full-page picture showing an officer taking leave of his wife and child before starting for the scene of action. His little girl, as she clings to his neck, asks this question:
"Daddy, are you going to kill some other little girl's father?"
There is no need to add any comment. In the last analysis that is just what war means, the killing of some other little girl's father, or some other wife's husband, or some other girl's sweetheart, or some other mother's support.

2.30 SATURDAY \$18.75 to \$25.00 Women's Suits for \$14.75

AND very smart Suits they are, too. Well-tailored, neatly-finished and your choice from a selection of new autumn shades in blues, tans, cerise, greens and black. Serges, Venetian cloths and tweeds are the materials and there's a nice assortment of different styles, some showing coats with round or square cutaway, others in the straight fronts with rounding corners. Large and five-button fastenings, with self-covered or fancy buttons in two-tone shades. The skirts are in the plain-tailored styles, some showing slightly draped effects. Further particulars can be gathered by seeing the samples displayed in the View street windows. Sale begins sharp at 2.30 Saturday.



2.30 Saturday—An Unusual Sale of Men's Sweaters at \$2.25

IT'S not often that we are able to offer such values as these at so early in the season, and that's the reason why we are expecting a good sale to-morrow at 2.30. Very few men are without a good Sweater Coat during the cold winter months, and most like to buy them new at the beginning of each season so as to get the best wear from the garment just when it's wanted most. Here's your opportunity, then, to buy one at a price advantage. There are three different styles, all marked at the same price, as follows:

Coat Sweater of heavy-weight wool mixture, made with roll collar and in colors grey, brown and natural. All sizes.

Coat Sweater of heavy-weight wool mixture, ribbed roll collar; all shades; in sizes 36 to 42.

Coat Sweater in medium-weight wool, made with high roll collar, in all shades, with fancy trimmed collar and fronts. Medium sizes only. —Main Floor

2.30 Saturday Two Special Enamelware Offer- ings at Half-Price

100 Double Boilers well-made with pressed steel bodies and well-coated with good grey enamel. Capacity of inside boiler four pints. Complete with cover. Special Saturday 45¢
60 only 10-Quart Water Buckets of good grey enamelware, seamless. Special Saturday, each 45¢
—Second Floor

Slightly Damaged Enamelware Values to \$1.25 for 25¢

You will have to be here sharp on time to secure an article from this lot. That's our opinion—why? because they are such extraordinary values and all are useful goods that are wanted in every home. Included are large-size tancepans, cereal cookers, rice boilers, tea kettles, roast pans and many other lines. Either the carelessness of the packer or the rough handling by the railway company is responsible for these goods having got a little chipped and scratched, so we are enabled to clear them out at this extraordinary low price. Pick which article you like for 25¢

We have a big lot of odd Dinnerware, some pieces slightly chipped—but just the thing for every-day use. Marked at giving-away prices. See these when in the store. Second floor.

Our Candies Always Fresh Saturday Specials

A Special Box of Chocolates for Thanksgiving day 50¢
Daisy Carmels, per box 50¢
Plain Butterscotch, lb. 20¢
Cocoanut Cream, reg. 35c. 20¢
Almond Cream 25¢
Toasted Marshmallows, reg. 40c. 25¢
Turkish Delight, reg. 40c. 25¢
Strawberry and Mint Marshmallows, lb. 40¢
Cadbury's Creams, per box, 20c and 10¢
U-All-No Mints, per box, 35c and 15¢
Circus Wagons (Cowan's) 10¢
Noah's Arks 10¢
Ganong's Chocolate Peppermints, per box, 10¢
—Main Floor

2.30 Saturday \$40 Brass Bed for \$18.75

ONLY three of these Beds left so that first comers must be first served. They are best quality English Brass Beds, strongly-made with 2½ inch posts, finished with large brass knobs and seven brass fillers. In bright finish only. Beds that should sell for \$40. Saturday, sharp at 2.30 \$18.75
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Sharp at 8.30 on Saturday morning we offer for sale a splendid assortment of Ladies' Fancy Collars, Coat Sets and Jabots in muslin and lace. Values that regularly sell for 75c and \$1.00. Special at 25¢
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3 pairs for \$1.00
—Main Floor

\$5.75 Buys Your Boy a Good Suit

THIS is a very special line of Boys' Two-Piece Suits. They are well-tailored and trimmed from good quality materials, and you have your choice from a large assortment of new shades in greens, fawns, browns and Banockburn mixtures. Sizes range from 23 to 34. To-day and Saturday special, per suit, \$5.75

Does Your Boy Want a New Overcoat?

If he does, why not buy him one of these? They are just the kind he wants to keep him warm this winter. They are comfortable garments, well-tailored and your choice from heavy tweeds and friezes. Made with two-way collars and belt backs. Sizes for boys and youths from 25 to 35. Special to-day and Saturday \$5.75
—Main Floor

Clearing Lines in Heaters

WHY not take advantage of this special sale to secure your new Heater? You are sure to want one soon and by looking ahead and buying now you can save many dollars. In order to make room for the better display of our new goods we have cut the price on all odd lines. You cannot do better than make a call soon and secure one of these rare bargains. Space prevents our giving a detailed list.
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Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Provincial Labor Commission will be held at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, 22nd October, in the Members' Room, Parliament Buildings, Victoria. The Commission is empowered to inquire into all matters affecting the conditions of labor in British Columbia. All persons interested are invited to attend and give evidence.

H. G. PARSON, Chairman.
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The waterfront home advertised last week. Read about this new bargain.

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BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Sands & Tait, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3304.

Ladies' Tailor—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 8, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading Funeral furnishers house. Connections: Vancouver New Westminster and Winnipeg.

S. P. C. A.—Casks of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

The B. C. Fuel Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2335.

How Can You Expect to have a happy home if you do not burn our dry wood. Geo. Burt, 735 Pandora St. Tel. 828.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3359, 3612 Bridge street.

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For Fire, machine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

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Fresh Killed Lamb—Forequarters, 15c lb.; hind cuts, 25c. Brown & Cooper, 910 Gordon St.

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Xmas Photo Special.—During October only—one dozen Corona folder portraits finished in silk texture plate for \$5.75—regular price \$7.00, at the Skene Lowe Studio, corner Yates and Douglas streets. Sit early in the month.

Wanted to Purchase.—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited. Merchants Bank Building.

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Popcorn Crispettes.—See them made daily. Fresh roasted peanuts. Fort street, near Douglas.

Skates Ground, 610 Pandora, near Government.

Just Arrived From England.—A new shipment of towels, towelling flannel-ettes and Scotch winery. Ready for sale to-morrow morning. Seabrook Young, 623 Johnson street.

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Prof. E. Claudia's Orchestra will give a sacred concert at the Victoria Theatre Sunday evening at 8.45. Admission free.

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Seek Their Son.—George Haworth, who came to this province from Mil-dura, Australia, fourteen years ago, is being sought by his parents, who have not heard from him for two years. When they last received a letter he was living in Mission.

Knocked Down by Car.—Joseph Hall, Dominion road, Esquimalt, was knocked down by an Esquimalt car near the city limits and rendered unconscious. The police ambulance was called and first aid was given the man by Sergeant Wright and Constable Bishop. He was then taken to the office of Dr. Barty, where a long scalp wound was stitched.

President's Thanks.—An acknowledgment has been received by the Board of Trade from President Wilson of the resolution of congratulation passed by the board in connection with the blowing up of the Gamboa dike. The secretary to the president writes: "The president has received your kind telegram of October 10, and deeply appreciates your very kind words of congratulation. He asks me to thank you warmly for your courtesy in writing."

Is Still Missing.—There has been no clue found yet to the whereabouts of G. W. Smith, the Cedar Hill milkman, who has not been seen by his family since he disappeared on October 7. The last time he was seen was at the fair grounds after the races on that day. He had plenty of money at the time he left home. No reason can be assigned for his absence, as he was not a user of intoxicants and only the day before he had been making purchases in connection with the extension of his business.

Portia Belle Leaves.—The twelve popular young ladies who arrived the day before yesterday from San Francisco in the course of a tour of the Pacific Coast cities, left yesterday for Vancouver after what they pronounced to be a most delightful visit to Victoria. During their stay here they were entertained at a banquet at the Westholme hotel, and concluded the evening by attending a dance at the Connaught hall. All before leaving expressed their gratitude for the cordial reception they were given here.

Exhibition Interests.—George Sangster, secretary of the B. C. Agricultural Association, left this afternoon on his way to Saskatoon, where he will represent the association at meetings of the Western Canada Fair Managers' Association and the Western Fair and Racing Circuit. He will also attend a meeting of live stock breeders, at which will be discussed the representation of the West in the Canadian Livestock Association. It is felt by western breeders generally that they have not been receiving proper representation at the hands of the association.

Sheriff's Costs.—An interesting point was decided by Chief Justice Hunter in chambers yesterday on arguments made on behalf of Sheriff Richards. The sheriff had entered into possession of certain goods of the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company under a writ of fieri facias, before the reception here of an order of the High Court of Justice of Ontario, where the company has its headquarters, declaring it to be in liquidation. Upon the receipt of the order the sheriff had, of course, to retire, but he argued that up to that he was properly in possession and was entitled to his costs of execution as a preferred creditor. The court held that as the Winding-Up Act had not provided for such a contingency the sheriff must rank as an ordinary creditor, and allowed the application made on behalf of the liquidator for a restraining order. Edward Mayer was for the company and Oscar C. Bass for the sheriff.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 17, 1888.

Capt. A. McAllister, the well known pilot, who has been lying ill at St. Joseph's hospital for a few days, is now much improved.

Elizabeth, widow of the late Joseph Fell (brother of ex-Mayor Fell), died at Sladland house, near Petworth, Sussex, on September 16. She was 55 years of age and leaves three children.

The work of raising the steamer Beaver, now lying on the rocks at the Narrows of Vancouver harbor, was commenced yesterday by Messrs. Roberts and Llewellyn.

The annual meeting of the Victoria School of Arms was held last evening at the drill shed, James Bay, a representative number of the militia being present. The financial statement showed the school to be in a flourishing position with 50 members on the roll.

Members Number 1,000.—At a meeting of the membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. it was reported that the number at present on the books is 1,000.

Father Passed Away.—That her father, J. E. White, of Owen Sound, Ont., had passed away was the sad news contained in a telegram received by Mrs. J. Y. Jackson, 2169 Beaver street, Oak Bay, on Wednesday. Mr. White was the pioneer florist of Owen Sound, of which town he was for many years a councillor.

Officers of Swimming Club.—The following officers have been elected by the boys of the Junior department of the Y. M. C. A. to hold office for the ensuing season: President, J. P. Brown; vice-president, G. Marwick; captain, T. Heyland; vice-captain, W. Head. Next Wednesday will see the inauguration of the series of winter handicap races.

Issue Souvenir.—As a souvenir of Trafalgar Day, 1913, the Salt Spring Island branch of the Navy League has issued a handsome scroll inscribed with quotations from famous men from Sir Walter Raleigh down to Admiral Cuthbert on the value of naval defence. The centre is occupied by Rudyard Kipling's verse, "The Glory of the Garden," and at the bottom there is the question: "Nelson gave you the command of the sea over one hundred years ago. Are you going to keep it?"

Before Labor Commission.—In addition to the Local Council of Women and the Retail Employers' Association, it is expected the Duncan Board of Trade will have a deputation at the first session of the labor commission at the parliament buildings on October 22 at 10 a. m. The B. C. Electric Railway Company is also expected to be represented in connection with the proposals put forward at a previous sitting that greater measures of safety for linemen be adopted at substations.

Hospital Board Meets.—It is not expected that much progress can be made with the hospital plans at the meeting of the board of directors this evening. Those plans which were approved at the last meeting have been sent to the government for consideration. In view of the fact that the government is a large contributor to the cost, and until they return it will not be possible to proceed further. Tenders will be in for the removal of the doctor's residence at this evening's meeting. This is a necessary preliminary in connection with the plans which have been formulated for the reconstruction of the institution.



GUTIA CASSIM

Brilliant young Russian 'cellist, who will play at the Victoria Theatre to-night, with Mme. Alda and Frank La Forge.

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A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' TH' YEAR

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A PLEASANT TASK.
About the nicest task I know
Is going out 'most any day
To find some fellow full of woe
A-walkin' on his troubled way.
And if he's full o' wrath an' bile
To make him smile.

Or if perchance tears dim his eyes,
Because of grief or some distress,
To help him from his sorrow rise
Unto the heights of happiness—
In other words, if he is sad
To make him glad.

There's many a way to turn the trick
For human brothers in their need.
Some pile the humor on too thick,
And failure waits upon the deed.
The best and surest recipe
Is sympathy!

WILL SPEAK HERE

Dr. Westbrook, President of New University, Will Address University Women's Club on October 30.

Dr. Frank Fairchild Westbrook, president of the new provincial University, is to lecture under the auspices of the University Women's Club on October 30 in the ballroom of the Empress hotel. The proceedings will commence at 8.30 p. m.

This will be the first time that Dr. Westbrook will have addressed any Victoria audience, and, owing to his wide international fame as a bacteriologist as well as to his prominent position as the head of the new provincial university which is to be opened in the course of time, it is anticipated that wide interest will be taken in his talk on some phases of public health.

Dr. Westbrook, from 1906 until the time of his appointment here, was dean of the College of Medicine and Surgery at the University of Minnesota, and holds the following degrees: B. A., University of Manitoba; M. A., M. D., C. M., etc. He is more eminent known as a bacteriologist and pathologist, and his work, both as an educationalist and a medical man, has received international recognition. At present he is working on the organization of the new University.

TO COMMEMORATE TRAFALGAR.

Connaught Seamen's Institute Will "Give Interesting Entertainment" Next Tuesday Evening.

Trafalgar Day, October 21, is not to be celebrated in the usual manner in Victoria this year. The celebrations in connection with the great anniversary are to be of a quieter character, and under the auspices of the Connaught Seamen's Institute. This will be in the nature of a concert at the Y. W. C. A. rest room on Tuesday evening, and the men of His Majesty's ships Rainbow, Shearwater and Algerine will assist in commemorating the occasion. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the Seamen's Institute, which, opened a few months ago, has already amply demonstrated the need for such an institution in the port of Victoria.

"QUO VADIS"

Women and children are particularly interested in George Kleine's mammoth photo-drama production "Quo Vadis," which is to be the important attraction at the Victoria theatre for three nights commencing October 23 with daily matinees. The women revel in the beautiful love story that is unfolded in the charming Sienkiewicz romance while the children appreciate its aid to their study of Roman history, and take particular delight in the big spectacular features—the burning of Rome—the chariot races—combats of the gladiators and thrilling experience of the Christians when thrown to the hungry lions in the arena—and the grown-up children, the men, seem to enjoy it as much as their wives and offspring.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

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Cavalleria Rusticana (Mascagni) Brindisi. (Drinking song—Hail to the Red Wine Flowing.) G. Martinez-Patti, tenor. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Trovatore, II (Verdi). (Di quella pira—Tremble, Ye Tyrants.) G. Martinez-Patti, tenor. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Trovatore, II (Verdi). (Chi del gitano—What Makes so Gay the Gypsy's Life?) Chorus of La Scala.

Puritani (Bellini). (Suoni la tromba—Sound the Trumpet.) Ercolo Omodei, baritone, and L. Rossato, bass. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Puritani (Bellini). (Vieni fra questo braccia—Come to These Loving Arms.) A. Pasini, soprano, and E. Gherlinzoni, tenor. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

La Boheme (Puccini). (O, Mimi tu piu non torni—Ah, Mimi, Fickle Hearted.) Giuseppe Armanini, tenor, and Taurino Parvis, baritone. In Italian; with orchestra.

I Pagliacci (Leoncavallo). (Stridono Lassu—O, Birds in Freedom Flying.) Rita D'Oria, soprano. In Italian; with orchestra.

La Traviata (Verdi). (Dite alla giovine—Say to Your Daughter.) Part 1. Rita D'Oria, soprano, and Taurino Parvis, baritone. Orchestra accompaniment.

La Traviata (Verdi). (Dite alla giovine—Say to Your Daughter.) Part 2. Rita D'Oria, soprano, and Taurino Parvis, baritone. Orchestra accompaniment.

Lucia Di Lammermoor (Donizetti). Sextette, Act. II. (Chi rafferra il mio furore—Why Do I My Arms Restrain?) Sung in Italian by Columbia Italian Opera Company. Orchestra accompaniment.

Lucia Di Lammermoor (Donizetti). Selections. Prince's military band.

Rigoletto (Verdi). Quartette. Columbia Italian Opera Company. In Italian. Orchestra accompaniment.

Rigoletto (Verdi). Selections. Prince's military band.

Rigoletto, II (Verdi). Il Miserere. (Ah, she la morte ognora—Ah, I Have Sighed to Rest Me.) Luisa Villani, soprano; Carlo Cartica, tenor, with chorus. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Trovatore, II (Verdi). Selections. Prince's orchestra.

Forza Del Destino (Verdi). (Solenne in quest'ora—Solemnly in This Hour.) Carlo Cartica, tenor, and Cesare Alessandrini, baritone. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Martha (Flotow). (Solo. profugo—Alone, Proscribed.)—Carlo Cartica, tenor, and Cesare Alessandrini, baritone. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Faust (Gounod). Trio and finale Act IV. (All'erta, all'erta—Hasten, or I Leave You.) Irma Wright-Heims, soprano; Carlo Cartica, tenor, and Cesare Alessandrini, baritone. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Faust (Gounod). Selections. Prince's orchestra.

Lohengrin (Wagner). (Bridal Chorus—Treulich gefuhrt.) Columbia Opera Chorus. In German; orchestra accompaniment.

Lohengrin (Wagner). (Prelude—Vorspiel.) Prince's Orchestra.

Aida (Verdi). (O terra addio—Farewell, O Earth.) Luisa Villani, soprano; Carlo Cartica, tenor, and chorus. In Italian; orchestra accompaniment.

Aida (Verdi). Selections. Prince's orchestra.

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SEA KNOCKS CAPTAIN OVER DURING TYPHOON

Capt. Kanao, of Panama Maru, Nearly Washed Overboard in China Sea

Knocked off his feet and carried across the bridge while nursing his ship through a violent typhoon in the China Sea, Capt. Kanao, master of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama Maru, had a narrow escape from being washed overboard. Upon the arrival of the steamship at this port at noon to-day the story of Capt. Kanao's most miraculous escape was told. If he had not been brought up by the railing about the flying bridge he would have lost his life, as in the weather which was prevailing it would have been impossible to launch a boat.

The Panama Maru was one day out from Kōngkōng on her voyage to Victoria when the typhoon struck her. "It was a very severe typhoon," said the captain, to-day, "and lasted from early in the morning until midnight. The glass stood at 28.50. The sea was very high and we were able to keep only a few feet of water on the ship. At the height of the typhoon we had a hard time keeping the vessel head on to the seas. The wind blew her round and she pitched and rolled very badly."

Wave Over Forty Feet High. The waves were running at a terrific height and the Panama was diving into them, burying her whole forecastle in the great combers as she pushed on and flooding everything forward. One great roller rocker the ship from stem to stern. It was over 40 feet in height. The officers on watch saw the sea coming at the ship and they braced themselves. As the Panama threw herself into it the crust of it swept on and struck the bridge. The power of the sea broke the grip of Captain Kanao, knocked his feet from under him and almost swept him from the bridge. Although he was badly bumped against the railing, he stuck to his post until the storm went down when his slight injuries were attended to.

As a result of the typhoon the Panama was one day late putting into Kōngkōng. The steamship was damaged in escaping practically undamaged. The same sea which nearly swept Capt. Kanao overboard, drove a lifeboat on the port side and took a number of fixtures into the sea.

Winter Passage Coming. On the run to this port from Yokohama the Panama fell in with additional heavy weather. Two days out from the Japanese port she encountered heavy gales from the Northeast. They were head on and the Maru was slightly delayed. From then on the wind and sea were following and although they did not retard the speed of the ship they made things very uncomfortable on board. The Panama was sixteen days coming from Yokohama.

For Victoria the Panama had 13 Chinese, 20 Japanese and 54 Hindu passengers. She had 209 tons of silk consigned here and after putting this off continued to Tacoma. The silk shipment was worth \$500,000.

PUEBLA ON LAST TRIP

On her last northbound voyage before being replaced by the President, the Pacific Coast steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Owens, arrived at the outer docks last night, and after putting off 100 tons of freight proceeded to Sound ports. It is understood that the Puebla will be used on one of the southern runs out from San Francisco following her disappearance from the "Frisco-Victoria" service.

The Puebla had a fine run up the coast on her last run, but had a light list of passengers. She had 51 all told, and the following disembarked here: Mrs. Ethel Atchinson, Miss Addie Alter, James P. Butler and wife, E. M. Browne, James Crawford, Mrs. Lorne Duncan, W. M. Graham, A. G. Gillespie, Mrs. Janet Hackett, Frank Iris, M. J. McLennan, P. C. Shearer, H. Smith, Mrs. Millie Wood and daughter.

SURVIVORS ARRIVE

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Twenty members of the crew of the wrecked steam schooner Merced, which went ashore Thursday night on Point Gorda, thirty miles south of Eureka, arrived here today on the oil tanker Atlas. They had nothing to add to the story of how the ship was lost or the rescue of the passengers.

Charles R. McCormick & Company, the owners, said they would make no further efforts to haul the Merced off the rocks.

BARQUE ALBERT IS SOLD

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The barque Albert has been purchased by the Charles Nelson Co. from H. Hackfeld & Co. She is now on the Sound. The Albert was built at Blakeley in 1890 and has been in the trade with Hawaii for many years. The Nelson Company will use her in the lumber trade.

The power schooner Golden Gate, built here a few months ago for the Union Fish Co., has returned from her first trip to Pirate Cove with 175,000 codfish and 500 barrels of salmon. She reports an uneventful voyage.

HARDSHIPS OF CREW OF AMARANTH TOLD

Captain Outsailed Mate in Voyage From Scene of Barquentine's Wreck

Sunburned, ragged, tired but thankful, six men of the four-mast barquentine Amaranth, wrecked on Jarvis Island, in latitude 0-23 south and longitude 150-54 west, at 7:40 o'clock on the evening of August 30, reached Apia, Samoa, at 4 o'clock on the morning of September 15 after being thirteen days and ten hours in an eighteen-foot open boat. During this time the boat had been sailed and rowed a distance of 1,140 miles in a direct course from where the vessel was lost and the crew saved.

A. M. Johansen, mate of the wrecked Amaranth, was in command of the lifeboat. Sailing from Newcastle, Australia, on August 4, the Amaranth, a four-mast barquentine of 1,068 tons register, put to sea with a cargo of coal consigned to San Francisco. All went well until the evening of August 30, when with a crash the vessel struck heavily on the rocks of Jarvis Island. She was badly pounded by the ocean swells and two hours after striking a part of her keel floated up, and it was then seen her case was entirely hopeless.

Boats Are Outfitted. Two boats were outfitted. Shortly after the boats were entered the Amaranth broke in two pieces, the foremast part rolling over on its starboard side while the stern and washed on a flat rock, heeling over to starboard and on the port side. The boats stood by all night and at 6:30 o'clock on Monday evening, September 1, they were headed for the Samoan Islands. With Captain Neilson was his wife and 15-month baby son, Second Mate Charles A. Lockwood, three seamen, cook and cabin boy. First Mate A. M. Johansen and five American sailors were in the second boat; these men were O'Brien, Howard, Dallimore, Sutter and Nansell.

The boats kept close together all the first day, but the captain's boat proved a much smarter sailor than the mate's craft and when positions were compared it was decided that the captain had been proceeding as rapidly as possible and make port as quickly as could be done.

Water Supply Low. Mate Johansen changed his course the day following and steered for Danger Island as his water supply was low and he wished to replenish it if possible. This difficulty was, however, relieved as on the seventh and eighth days a tropical rain storm fell. On September 14 the island of Upolu was sighted twenty-five miles to the south. At 4 o'clock on the morning of September 15 Apia Harbor was reached, where the boat was made fast to a buoy and the weary crew taken ashore by the harbor master.

Captain Neilson reached Pago Pago safely six hours before the mate had moved in Apia Bay. All withstood the long voyage splendidly, and Mrs. Neilson and her 15-month-old boy had suffered but slightly from their two weeks' experience in an open lifeboat.

Much the same weather conditions had been experienced by Captain Neilson and the same rain storm had given him an ample supply of fresh water. He had, however, touched at Danger Island and the natives there showed wonderful hospitality.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Oct. 16.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: French barge, Glasgow; tank str. Oleum, California; Br. barque Birkdale, Huasco, Chile. Sailed: Str. Yucatan, San Francisco and San Pedro.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Tiverton, Port Ludlow; Homer, Guaymas; tug Sea Rover, barge 93, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Samoset, Moji.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Daisy, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Coronado, San Pedro; Tamapais, San Francisco.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Uckermark, Astoria. Sailed: Str. Hornet, San Francisco, via ports.

Monterey, Cal.—Sailed: Str. W. E. Herrin, Everett.

POLTALLOCH FOR S. A.

The British barque Poltalloch, which has just arrived at Victoria from Port Natal, is under charter to Hestley & Co., for lumber from Vancouver to South Africa at 75c. 3d.

PILOT IS CENSURED

Quebec, Oct. 17.—At the inquiry held into the stranding of the C. P. R. liner Maun Temple in the St. Lawrence a short time ago, the pilot, who was in charge was censured by the court. The captain and officers were found blameless and everybody was surprised that no reference was made to the alleged obstruction in the channel.

WAIMATE FOR 'FRISCO RUN

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The Union S. S. Co. announces that the steamer Waimate will follow the Moana on the regular run to Sydney, leaving the Australian port in November. She is a small vessel of 3429 tons net register.

FISHERMEN WANT SOME PROTECTION

Accident to Schooner Jessie Causes Renewal of Claim for Provision

DROPS WHEEL BUT WITH FAIR WIND MAKES LAND

Steamer Gray Brings Disabled Craft 500 Miles to Port; Very Long Tow

That some kind of protection should be afforded the British Columbia fishing fleet in case of accidents along the wild coasts of Vancouver Island and the Queen Charlotte Islands, is the emphatic declaration of the men who go to sea in the small power schooners and fight against untold hardships to bring in catches large enough to prevent the local fish markets from becoming depleted. Following several mishaps to the fleet the fishermen are now declaring themselves in strong tones. They are looking for the Dominion government to do something to ensure the safety of their lives when they are out on the banks.

The protest was renewed by the fishermen with great vigor this morning following the arrival in port last night of the disabled schooner Jessie, Capt. George Heater, in tow of the steamer Gray, Capt. Shad. Those on board the Jessie, who might have suffered terrible hardships and even death by starvation or shipwreck, had it not been for a favorable breeze, are exceedingly anxious to see something done to assist them in case of trouble when they are beating about on the grounds.

Captain Heater Speaks.

The sentiment on board the Jessie was voiced by Capt. Heater, his master, this morning. "We hear a lot about protecting our coast from poachers," said Capt. Heater, "but I think that it is about time to protect our own fishermen a little. Our accident furnishes another example of the trials of the fishermen. For instance, there was the accident to the schooner Pescawha. It was somewhat similar to ours. She dropped her wheel in Hecate Strait, and it was 30 days before she reached port. Then there was the Welding Brothers, which piled ashore on Frederick Island, on the west coast of the Queen Charlottes. Her crew had to row nearly 200 miles before getting to civilization, and they accidentally struck the lighthouse tender Leebo at Cape St. James. If it hadn't been for us striking a favorable breeze we might have been drifting about yet, with 14 hands aboard and no way to get provisions. "Why couldn't we have a couple of the whalers in service, one patrolling the west coast of Vancouver Island and the other skirting the Queen Charlotte coastline. It would not be a better chance, but it would also be a good thing in case of shipwrecks, which might overtake sailing ships or steamboats. We fishermen are risking our lives, building up an industry and bringing in an article of food, and we should have some protection. All the fish inside the three-mile limit has gone to Seattle years ago. We have to go outside to get anything now."

What Happened to Jessie.

On Saturday last the Jessie was in latitude 52-10 N. and longitude 130-50 W., about five miles off the Danger Rocks, putting off her dories, when the shaft carried away and the propeller fell into the sea, leaving her practically helpless. The Jessie was in a dangerous position, and as she has very little sail things looked rather black. Capt. Heater had what canvas she carried set. A light breeze blew up and she fetched the land. The dories were put out and after soundings were taken the fishermen bent to the oars and towed the Jessie to an anchorage in the Houston-Stewart channel. Captain Heater happened to sight the lights of a steamer making High Island, and dispatched a dory to bring assistance. The vessel happened to be the Leebo, and although it was 10:30 o'clock at night, Capt. Hunter, the best brother in the business on this coast, but to set again and towed the Jessie into Rose Harbor. Arrangements were made with the steamer Gray, which was leaving the whaling station there for Victoria, to tow her to her home port.

It was rather a risky proposition as it was impossible to tell what kind of weather might sweep across Hecate Strait. If it came on to blow hard and a bad sea, came on the Gray would have had to cut the Jessie adrift and leave her to the mercy of the elements. Fortunately the weather was fairly good during the passage, and the two craft reached Kyquoot in safety. When ready to resume the tow from the whaling station, the Gray steamed out of the Sound, but had no sooner reached open water than a howling gale blew and forced her to return to port. The Gray towed the Jessie a distance of over 500 miles, and as the voyage was made via the outside passage, it is one of the longest deep-sea tows made on the Pacific coast for many years.

Cook Believed "Jonah."

The fishermen on board the Jessie believe that the new cook, who was signed on before the schooner cleared on her last trip, is the Jonah. He was the man who mixed-up the foodstuffs on board the whaler William Grant when she was disabled. It is peculiar that the Jessie and William Grant were both rendered helpless through dropping their wheels, that they were commanded by two brothers, Captain Wm. Heater being on the whaler and Capt. Geo. Heater on the fishing boat, and that the accidents overtook the vessels in practically the same waters. The same cook was on board each. The Jessie is to be hauled out on the ways to have a new wheel fitted, and will not be getting to sea again for a few days.

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NEW BOATS STILL DREAM OF FUTURE

Capt. Nicholson Says G. T. P. Has No Intention of Building Reported Steamers

Reports to the effect that the G. T. P. is ready to award contracts for the construction of several new steamers for the coast trade were unauthorized, according to Capt. U. H. Nicholson, manager of the company, who was in town yesterday. While the building of additional vessels has been discussed, nothing official has been decided on by the directors of the company, and the palatial ships which reports said were to be added to the present fleet, are still the dream of the future. One report had it that the company intended to build three new ships and that already the name for one of the steamers had been selected. She was to be called the Prince Edward, then the ships were to be 30 feet longer than the present stackers running north, and of slightly better speed. They were to include many new features in steamship construction and would be the finest vessels operating on the Pacific Coast.

Daily Service to Rupert. Of course, these ships were to be ready by the time the transcontinental line is through to Prince Rupert. Together with the two present steamers, the Prince Rupert and Prince George, they were to maintain a daily service out of Victoria and Vancouver to the north. This plan was well hatched, but whoever planned it must have lost sight altogether of that one important factor needed to carry out the idea, money. Nowadays steamers of that class are not constructed for mere songs. One million dollars does not turn out any too good a vessel which might be termed luxurious and up-to-date.

At the present time business in the winter is not exceptionally heavy to the north, and the Grand Trunk Pacific do not wish to have several ships lying idle for about four months of the year. It is thought that when the business to Prince Rupert becomes steady the whole year round the Grand Trunk will talk definitely of building these new floating palaces.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 30.45; 43; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.30; 41; sea smooth.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 30.05; 47; sea moderate.

Estevan—Raining; S. E.; 30.10; 44; sea moderate.

Tacoma Maru, 3 p.m., position 51.13 N. 137.41 W.

Triangle—Raining; S. E.; 30.15; 44; sea moderate.

Queen Charlotte Sound, 8 a.m., southbound.

Prince Rupert—Misty; S. E.; foggy; 30.00; 40; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.12; 40; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.10; 42; sea smooth.

Out, S. S. Venture, 4 a.m., southbound.

Noon.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 30.27; 41; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.28; 47; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; N. E.; 22 miles; 30.22; 49; sea moderate.

In, 10.45 p.m.

Pachena—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.03; 49; sea smooth.

Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 30.08; 48; sea smooth.

Triangle—Raining; S. E.; 30.13; 46; sea rough.

Reeds—Raining; calm; 29.55; 48; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.12; 49; in, 7 a.m., S. S. Prince John; out, 8.35 a.m., S. S. Prince George, southbound; in, 11.45 a.m., S. S. Vado.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; 30.15; 48; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Raining; S. E.; 30.02; 48; sea moderate.

TOUR TO OLD COUNTRY

E. E. Blackwood, General Agent, of the Northern Pacific Railway, has arranged to run a personally conducted Christmas excursion, to England, leaving here at 10 a.m., on December 7 and connecting with the steamship Teutonic, sailing from Portland, Me., and steamships Olympic and Caronia, sailing from New York, also on December 13. Through tourist sleepers will be run from Seattle to Portland, Me., for the Teutonic, and to Sayre, N. Y., for the Olympic, and the Caronia, and the schedule has been so arranged, that passengers for the Teutonic will not have to stop overnight at any points en route between Victoria and Liverpool.

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SALVAGE SUIT TO BE HEARD END OF MONTH

Owners of Tug Lorne Are Suing G. T. P. for Pulling Prince Albert Off Rocks

Set for hearing in the Admiralty court on October 31 is the case of the Vancouver Towboat Company, owners of the tug Lorne, and the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company, under whose house flag the steamer Prince Albert is operated. The lawsuit has arisen out of the stranding of the Albert at Port Simpson late last May. The Lorne pulled the vessel into deep water and the owners of the tug are seeking salvage money to the amount of \$300.

The Prince Albert was making a landing at the northern port when she carried past and struck the rocks, tearing her bottom badly. The tug Lorne which happened to be in the vicinity at that time went to the assistance of the stranded ship and managed to free her from the rocks. The Prince Albert came south under her own steam, her double bottom preventing the water from getting in, and she was repaired at the B. C. Marine Railway yards at Esquimalt. This is the first lawsuit over salvage matters to come up in the local courts for some time.

THIRD SANTA LINER IS NOW LOADING IN EAST

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—The new steamer Santa Catalina, of the W. R. Grace New York and San Francisco line, arrived at the eastern metropolis Oct. 13 from her builders' yards in Philadelphia, and will load immediately for this port and Puget Sound.

The Santa Cecilia, the fourth and last vessel built for the line, was launched Sept. 17 and will load at New York in about five weeks. The Santa Cruz and Santa Clara are already on the run.

HINDUS ON PANAMA

Large Party Arrives; Immigration Officials Examining Them; Interpreter Here From Vancouver.

On the Panama Maru to-day there arrived 56 Hindus, some of whom are qualified for entry on account of former residence, but a rigid examination is going forward to discover their history and claim to enter the country.

The interpreter has arrived from Vancouver, and the party is being carefully examined through him. The result will not be known till a late hour this evening.

Some of the fellow-countrymen of the Hindus were refused admission to the wharf. Taking advantage of the passage of a dory, they climbed on board it and declined to leave the wharf when requested. The police patrol was called from headquarters and four officers removed the men outside the wharf.

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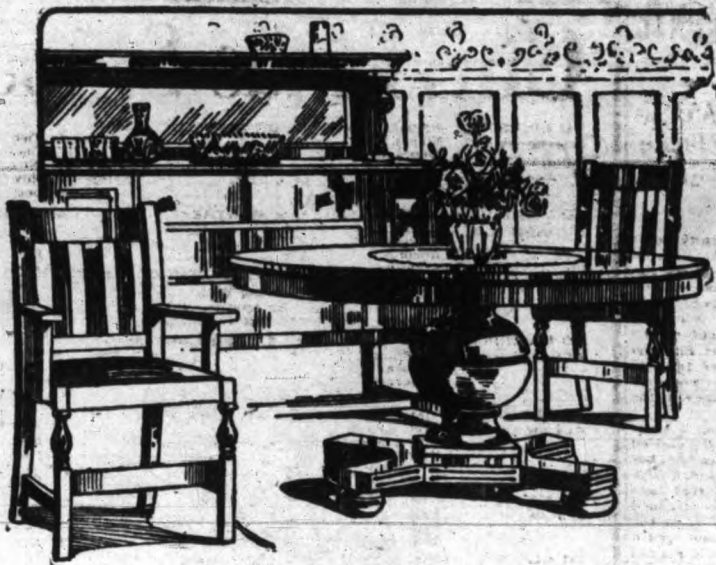
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SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY OF SAMPLES

Purified Russian down is the filling and the covers are superior satens, chintzes and silks. As to the variety of styles, color schemes and patterns, all that can be said here is that they embrace a number of styles that will please you no matter what your taste may be. Even the large window display fails to do justice to the subject, so how are we to describe them in print?

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Plain Tankard, cut in the olive pattern. Prices 75¢, 50¢ and 40¢.

Engraved Tankard in a neat fern pattern. Price only 75¢.

Plain Glass, in the tankard shape. Price 50¢.

Cut Glass water bottles and tumblers, in several patterns, at \$1.25 and \$1.00.

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Cut Glass Tumblers in neat design come in three sizes. Prices, per dozen, \$2.00 and \$1.75.

Engraved Tumblers in a star pattern. A nice light weight and a fine value at, per dozen \$1.25.

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A Fine Tumbler in plain crystal glass, and a light weight. Per dozen \$1.25.

Sherry and Port Glasses cut in the olive pattern, at, per dozen \$1.25.

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Each sheet is separately finished, has whipped edges, and is a superior quality. Discriminating shoppers will readily recognize the value they represent.

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SPORTING NEWS

VICTORIA TENNIS CLUB EXTENDS BORDERS; PURCHASES GROUND FOR FIVE NEW COURTS

Important Matters to Come Up Before Annual Meeting Next Month.

At the general meeting of the Victoria Tennis Club, which is to be held next month, its members will definitely decide whether or not the purchase of ground which has been in use during the season will be augmented or not for 1914.

The popularity of the club has become so marked, the membership roll running into hundreds, while the waiting list is also very large, that the club has for some time considered it necessary to extend its borders and take in fresh ground, while the price of adjacent land is at a reasonable figure.

With this in mind the club has just taken over a fairly large strip of ground on the side of the courts furthest from the Willows road. This has been actually purchased by the club and contains ground enough to mark out five new courts. At present the number in use is nine grass courts and one of earth, so that if the club decides at its annual meeting that it will open the new courts next year, there will be no fewer than

fifteen for the accommodation of the members. This would comprise one of the finest tennis grounds on the Pacific Coast, and would mean much added popularity and increased membership for the Victoria club.

It may be necessary, it is said, and this matter also will come up at the annual meeting, to sell some of the lots comprised in the present holdings of the club to meet the financial emergency of making fresh courts. It is unlikely, however, that any sold would interfere with the courts now marked out. There is a large strip of ground near the entrance gate on which marquees are placed during the annual "week" and which partly includes also the lawn on which croquet tournaments are played off, that will in all probability be sold to meet the expense incurred in the purchase of the new territory.

Considering the fact that Victoria had three players on the Davis cup team which did so magnificently in England this year, the future of the club has almost a national interest, for it is pretty certain that the nucleus of future Canadian Davis cup teams will have their practice on the courts at the Willows. Nor will Canada find it easy to forget what the club has done in the matter of providing expenses for the nation's representatives on the occasion of the great international feature.



CATCHER LAPP

Of the Athletics, who caught in but one game of the World's Series.

BRITISH GOLFERS MEET IN SEMI-FINALS TO-DAY

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 17.—Miss Marion Hollins, of New York, metropolitan champion, and Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, of England, former British title holder, won their matches to-day in the semi-final round for the women's national golf championship at the Wilmington Country Club, and will meet to-morrow in the final for the American title.

Miss Hollins won from Miss Harriet Curtis, of Boston, former American champion, in a thrilling match of 20 holes. It was nip and tuck, hole for hole, and almost stroke for stroke, until the final.

Miss Dodd, holder of the British and Canadian titles, played a disappointing game against Miss Ravenscroft, losing eight-up and seven to play. Miss Dodd did not win a single hole.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 17.—One of the largest galleries to-day in the competition for the women's golf championship over the course of the Wilmington Country Club.

Patriotism drew many to follow the match between Miss Marion Hollins, of New York, the 1913 metropolitan champion, and Miss Harriet Curtis, of Boston, former national champion the only Americans left in the struggle. Others who have had no opportunity to see two of the foremost women golfers of Great Britain play watched the contest between Miss Muriel Dodd and Miss Gladys Ravenscroft. The former this year won both the British and Canadian championships, while the latter is a former English title-holder.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 17.—As a result of the play yesterday in the third round of the women's national golf championship at the Wilmington Country Club, England and the United States will contest in the final match on Saturday for the American title.

Miss Muriel Dodd, the British and Canadian champion, yesterday defeated Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck, of Philadelphia, while Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, a former British champion, won from Miss Fannie C. Osgood, the Massachusetts title-holder. Miss Harriet Curtis, of Boston, former national champion, captured her match from Miss Mabel Harrison, the Irish title-holder. The match between Miss Marion Hollins, of New York, the Metropolitan champion, and Mrs. E. H. Fisher, of Philadelphia, resulted in a victory for the former.

To-day Miss Hollins is playing Miss Curtis in one of the semi-final matches, while Miss Dodd and Miss Ravenscroft are matched in the other semi-final.

RUGBY MATCH CALLED OFF.

Owing to the fact that the Vancouver aggregation could not get a team together to cross the straits the annual game between a Terminal City fifteen and the J. B. A. A., scheduled for Thanksgiving Day, has had to be called off. Secretary Skene announces that there will be a practice of the J. B. A. A. players at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon after the conclusion of the match between Wanderers and Fifth Regiment.



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Stetsons' Soft Felts in the new shades of green, grey, slate, blue, etc., fur felts and brush effects in styles for young or older men. Priced at \$4.00

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Boys' Suits in Norfolk and double-breasted styles in strong, serviceable tweeds in brown and grey mixtures, including some fine rough serges, are particularly good value at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$10.00.

Boys' Underwear of exceptional quality is Watson's Klosed-Krotch Combination Suit in natural wool, at \$1.50 and \$1.75. All sizes from 22 in. to 32 in. Two-piece suits, per garment, 75c and \$1.00.



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Warm Underwear

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Stanfield's Combination and Two-Piece Suits in medium and heavy weights, all-wool and silk and wool at \$2.50 to \$6.00, or

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W. G. & R. Pleated Shirts

have a very smart appearance. Pleats are wide with distinctive double stripe in a variety of colors, \$2.00.

Neckwear just received, new fancy styles, very taking, at \$1.00.

Take a Sweater With You to the Rink

You'll find everybody wearing one, and will feel out in the cold in a double sense if you haven't one, too.

Get one of the heavy ribbed sort, all-wool, shaker knit. They're very smart in the various colors, dark red, white, blue, brown and cardinal, and have a wide roll collar that comes up about the ears, buttoning close. Prices \$5.00 and \$6.50.

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Mallory's at \$3.50 is a fine grade of Hat made in America and we also show one we make ourselves at this price, \$3.50.

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TWO BOUTS MAY BE ADDED TO PROGRAMME

Two additional bouts may be added to the present card at the J. B. A. A. tourney Monday night. If a suitable lightweight can be secured he will be pitted against Scotty McKay, the local crack. Scotty has been out of the game for some time, but is in excellent condition. The officers of the James Bay club are also searching for a light heavyweight who will be matched with Blainey Scott. The addition of these two bouts will bring the total number of boxing items to six, while three excellent wrestling matches will be pulled off.

It was at first feared that several of the Seattle competitors would be unable to make the journey, but later a message was received by the officials assuring them that the complete squad would be on hand.

SOCCER LINE-UPS.

Sons of England—Goal, Munday, full backs, Hymers, Marshall; halves, Mar-

tin, Blendell, Beach; forwards, F. Kerley, Sharrok, Wells, A. Kerley, Douglas.
North Ward—Goal, Baines; backs, Taylor, Newland; halves, Thomas, Davidson, Brown; forwards, Wilkie, Tom Peden, Pearson, Muir, Allen.
Thistles—Goal, Smart; backs, McGee, Maxwell; halves, McKinnon, Green, McGillivray; forwards, Comlin, Howden, Shearer, Prall, McIlroy; reserves, Tait, Reid, Erskine.
Empress, F. C.—Goal, C. Fletcher; backs, Falconer, Massey; halves, Fyvie, Loma, Marshall; forwards, McKay, Williams, E. Fletcher, Holt, Smith.
J. B. A. A.—Goal, Thorburn; backs, Mossley, Petch; halves, Robertson, Roberts, Ferris; forwards, Totty, Pilkington, Attwell, Norman, Bredner or Davies.

DISAPPROVES PLAYER ARTICLES.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 17.—Captain Ketcham, of the Yale football team, has put the stamp of disapproval on newspaper articles by "player-authors." Ketcham turned down an offer to write articles for a New York newspaper, and at the same time requested his team to refrain from writing.

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SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

CONTINENT'S BEST FOR PORTOLA SPORTS

Records Broken Before Gun;
Beasley Against Best of
American Northwest

Hal Beasley, the Victoria sprinter, leaves for the sports of the Portola Festival on Sunday next. On his way down south he will be joined by other stars of the Northwest going down to compete at the tracks. Hal has been training very severely for the last few weeks, and if condition counts for anything will give a good account of himself.

As an indication that the meet promises to be one of the greatest ever held on the coast it is only necessary to mention a few of the names of the athletes who have signified their intention to be present. They include: Fred Kelly, world's champion hurdler, who did 9 4-5 seconds in the 100-yard dash on Saturday; Fred Thompson, the all-round athletic champion of the United States; Jim Donahue, Don Dawson, C. Beebe, Charles Bergstrom, M. N. Alderman, L. Gillette, D. Sturges, Ira Courtney, John W. Cook, J. Ponsell, Bryan Gilbert, Ben Ward, Stonewall Jackson, O. Laird, Clymer Johnson, "Mickey" McClure, Victor Hedgcock and Mike Kieley.

The sporting carnival of the Portola Festival has set a record before the first starting gun has been fired. The total number of entrants on the field and track events is 325, the largest number on record for an event of this kind.

So heavy is the list of entrants from all over the Pacific coast, according to an announcement made to-day, that a series of trial events will have to be run on the morning of October 25, the day of the big field and track events in the Stadium of Golden Gate park. Trials for the half mile, quarter mile, 220 yards and 100 yards, will begin at 10 a. m. on that day, the finals starting at 1.30.

The University of California heads the list of entrants with 96. Stanford has 40, other organizations being as follows: Olympic Club, 30; Pastime Club, 35; Southern California, 20; Pacific Northwest, 15; San Francisco Y. M. C. A., 25; Oakland Y. M. C. A., 20; San Jose Y. M. C. A., 15; Fresno Y. M. C. A., 4. The remainder is made up of scattered entrants from the Canadian Northwest, Oregon and Washington.

Some of the best known athletes of the West are ready for the big event, which will add a little interest to the Portola Festival of October 22-25.

INDOOR BOWLING.

In an inter-alley bowling match last evening on the Brunswick alleys, the Academics defeated the Brunswicks three straight games. The scores were: Academics, 917, 904, 902; Brunswicks, 888, 796, 769. Lindstrom, of the Academics, rolled the remarkably high score of 344 in one game.

The Colonist Primers won two of three games from the Jewellers in a City League match on the Arcade alleys. To-night the Tinklers and Realty teams will play.

Y. M. C. A. HOCKEY.

A meeting of those interested in ice hockey was held at the Y. M. C. A. last night, when it was decided to reorganize the ice hockey club and enter for the Victoria senior amateur league. The following officers were elected for the season of 1913-14: Honorary president, H. G. Beall; president, C. G. Burns; vice-president, R. W. Fraser; secretary, H. W. Mackenzie; executive committee, A. P. and Foster Archibald and K. G. Honigan.

UMPIRE KLEM CORNERED.

Umpire Klem, of the National League, has criticised the arbitrators of the American League for a recent ruling in sending the batter back to bat over again when his grounder had been fielded by an opponent and the throw had hit an umpire. Klem says the rule requiring the base runners to be returned had no reference to the batsman. Umpire Egan comes back at Klem and wants to know what the National League indicator handler would do under such circumstances with the bases full.

BRUTAL, SAYS ZULU PRINCE.

Boston, Oct. 17.—"American college football is altogether too brutal," said Prince Madikane, of Zululand, who has been studying this subject as the guest of the family of Robert T. P. Storer, captain of the Harvard Varsity football team. The Prince expressed the intention of introducing "milder forms" of the game to his country, as well as basketball and baseball.



GEORGE WILTSE

Of the New York Giants, who substituted so brilliantly for Merkle on the premier sack.

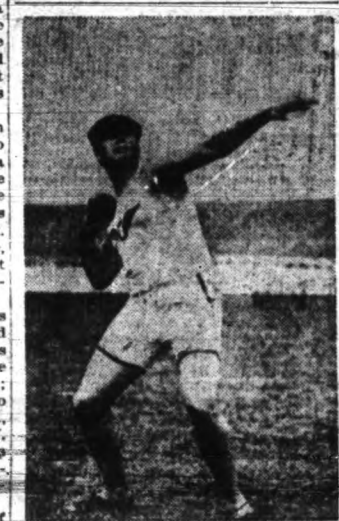
GREAT ATHLETE IS DEAD IN 'FRISCO

Ralph Rose, World's Record
Shot-Putter, Taken by Ty-
phoid; His Records

Ralph Rose, one of the big figures in American athletics, died yesterday at his home in San Francisco, of typhoid fever, a malady which had had the big man in its grip for some time. A popular figure at nearly all the track and athletic meetings held on the Pacific coast, Rose also represented his country at the Olympic games in Athens in 1906, in London in 1908, and in Stockholm in 1912.

He was a big full-blooded man, and from the first his battle against the disease was not encouraging to his physicians. Ralph Rose was born in Healdsburg, Cal., in 1884, graduated from the Healdsburg High school, and for a time attended the University of Michigan, but did not graduate. He returned to California, studied law, was admitted to the bar, and had been a practicing attorney since.

For eight years, Rose had been a championship figure in amateur athletics. His prowess won him a place on the first American Olympic team that



RALPH ROSE.

went to Athens in 1906, and he was successively a member of the American teams at London in 1908 and Stockholm in 1912, always bringing home first place until last year when he was beaten by McDonald, an American, with a put eight inches short of Rose's own world's record of 51 feet flat for the 16-pound shot, made at Travers Island, N. Y., in 1907.

The following are some of the marks for shot putting that Rose set. In New York September, 1907, Rose tossed the 8-pound weight 67 feet 7 inches; the following year he hurled the 15-pound weight 57 feet 3 inches at a meet in New York; another great feat was when he threw the 16-pound weight 51 feet 6 inches at Travers Island, N. Y., in 1907. His other records were: Sixteen-pound shot 51 feet at San Francisco in 1909; 18-pound shot 43 feet 9 inches, in 1907 at Travers Island; competing at the same meet Rose hurled the 21-pound shot 40 feet 3 inches. In 1907 he established a record by putting the 28-pound weight 34 feet 5 inches at Travers Island.

UMPIRE FOR TOUR.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Jack Sheridan, dean of the American League umpiring staff, has been selected as one of the umpires to accompany the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox on their world tour. He was notified of his selection yesterday. Only two umpires will be carried with the teams at the same time. Hank O'Day, of the National League staff, will work with Sheridan in the series of exhibition games to be played in this country. Wiganes, also of the National League staff, will accompany the globe-trotters after they leave this country on November 19.

FLIRTS WITH LEAGUE.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 17.—George Stovall, deposed manager of the St. Louis Americans, said that unless he obtained his unconditional release from the local team by yesterday, he would begin negotiations with the Kansas City Federal League club, which has offered him the position of manager.

It is understood the Kansas City Federals have offered Stovall a three-year contract at \$5,000 a year, with a bonus of \$5,000 to be paid when he signs the contract.

BOUT POSTPONED.

Superior, Wis., Oct. 17.—The ten-round bout between Spike Kelley and Billy Walters, aspirants to the welterweight championship scheduled to take place here Friday night, has been postponed until October 23 because of an injury to Walters.

TESREAU TO MARRY.

New York, Oct. 17.—Harver Monroe Tesreau, the New York National League club's big pitcher, familiarly known as "Jeff," got a license yesterday to marry Miss Helena Elizabeth Blake, of New York. The wedding was today.

NORTH WARD PRACTICE.

A practice of the North Ward junior soccer team will be held at the North Ward park tomorrow afternoon. A full attendance of members is requested.

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\$22.50 Overcoats, English
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NOW \$15.75

\$18.00 Overcoats, chevrot
and tweed Chesterfields.
NOW \$13.00

\$27.50 Heavy All-Wool Over-
coats.
NOW \$18.50

Ladies' \$18.00 Raincoats,
Paramatta cloth.
NOW \$13.50

Men's \$13.50 Raincoats.
NOW \$9.75

Men's \$20.00 Raincoats.
NOW \$14.50

\$1.75 and \$2.00 Tweed Hats,
all patterns.
NOW \$1.15

\$3.50 Soft Felt Hats, Im-
perial and Von Gal.
NOW \$2.25

\$1.50 Tweed and Worsteds
Caps.
NOW \$1.00

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Negligee
Shirts.
NOW \$1.15

\$2.50 Negligee Shirts, best
grades.
NOW \$1.65

\$3.00 Pyjamas, fancy sois-
ette.
NOW \$2.15

\$1.50 Pyjamas, plain sois-
ette.
NOW \$1.15

Watson's \$3.00 Combination
Underwear.
NOW \$2.45

Stanfield's \$3.00 Combin-
ation Underwear.
NOW \$2.25

\$1.50 Dent's Gloves; ladies'
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NOW \$1.10

\$1.50 Silk Neckwear.
NOW 75¢

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NEW CRICKET LEAGUE HAS BEEN FORMED

B. C. Mainland League Natural
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zation; Will Aid Game

A new cricket league, to be called the B. C. Mainland Cricket League, has been formed in Vancouver. Representatives of the various clubs interested met in the Terminal City last night and a tentative constitution was drawn up. L. D. Taylor, who has promised a cup to be competed for, was elected president, and C. H. Hingworth secretary. The clubs to be included in the new league are Vancouver, Burrard, West-
minster, Coquitlam, Vancouver Moths,

Public Schools Association and Burrard Seconds. The full constitution will be drawn up and adopted at a league committee meeting to be held November 19.

It is intended that all clubs shall meet each other twice during the season, and it is very probable that three matches will be played between teams representing the Mainland League and the Island Cricket League to decide the championship of British Columbia. It is not feared that the league will in any way interfere with the annual tournament.

On the other hand this new venture is almost certainly destined to give the British national game a fillip such as it has never received before in the Canadian Northwest. In all sports the element of competition entering in makes for more efficiency and competency, and breeds a healthy rivalry which cannot but have a good effect on the sport in general. Heretofore the Vancouver and Burrard teams, like Victoria and other teams on the Island, have played club matches without attempting to compile points or order of merit, and have often depended on

their visits to the Island at chance times to make up their schedule. The B. C. Mainland League is a natural corollary of the Vancouver Island Cricket League which has been formed. The new league will interfere but very little with the Vancouver and District League, and will virtually take from the latter only one team, namely, Westminster.

TO-DAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS

1873—Norman E. Selby, better known as Charles "Kid" McCoy, was born in Rush county, Ind. McCoy became middleweight champion of the world in 1897 by defeating Dan Creedon. He began his pugilistic career in Indianapolis in 1890, but his first real ring battle was pulled off in St. Paul in 1891, when he defeated a negro boxer named Pete Jenkins. In 1895 he defeated Shadow Sabor, an Australian, in a 19-round bout at Memphis, and further boosted his reputation by knocking out Billy Doherty at Johannesburg, South Africa. From that time on McCoy was recognized as one of the cleverest men

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for
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and address of the sender.)E. R. Fisher, of Seattle, is at the
Empress hotel.M. J. McLean, of Toronto, is at the
Empress hotel.H. C. Wingfield, of New York, is
staying at the Strathcona hotel.Harry C. Peet, of Port Angeles, is
registered at the Empress hotel.Capt. R. N. Harcourt, of New West-
minster, is at the Empress hotel.W. E. McGavvy is registered at the
Strathcona hotel from New York.George C. Robinson is a Montreal
man staying at the Empress hotel.R. C. Madsen registered at the Em-
press hotel from Devil's Lake, N. I.James F. Hope registered at the Em-
press hotel yesterday from Uckfield,
Eng.Charles P. Hammond is a guest at
the Strathcona hotel from New York
city.W. Innes Paterson is here from Van-
couver, and is staying at the Empress
hotel.P. M. Dyer, of Vancouver, is in the
city, and is registered at the Empress
hotel.Miss Madge Dowdall has gone to
spend the winter with relatives in Ta-
coma.Mr. and Mrs. D. Pennel, of Boston,
are at the Strathcona hotel while in
the city.James Branigan and wife left yester-
day by the Northern Pacific for El
Paso, Tex.R. Laker and Mrs. Laker are here
from Vancouver, guests at the Strath-
cona hotel.J. J. Rutherford and Mrs. Ruther-
ford, of Chicago, are guests at the Em-
press hotel.F. O. Grubbe, of Toronto, arrived in
town yesterday and went to the Em-
press hotel.W. R. Baker came over from Van-
couver yesterday and registered at the
Empress hotel.C. H. A. Grant and C. L. Samuel, of
Montreal, are among the guests at the
Empress hotel.J. E. H. Ford, of Sonoma, is in the
city on business and is staying at the
Empress hotel.D. S. Falkner is visiting in capital
from Vancouver, and is staying at the
Empress hotel.G. P. Seymour is a Vancouver vis-
itor in the city. He is a guest at the
Strathcona hotel.A. Johanson and Mrs. Johanson are
staying at the Strathcona hotel while
here from Seattle.George F. McCandlish and B. H.
Berry are registered at the Empress
hotel from Seattle.Mrs. F. Fellow and daughter have
left for Tacoma to spend a couple of
months with relatives.F. M. Broome, of Alliance, Neb., is
paying a visit to the city and is reg-
istered at the Empress hotel.Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor and Mrs.
Gail Hamilton are a Los Angeles party
staying at the Empress hotel.William Riddell is among those at
the Strathcona hotel. He came to the
city yesterday from Monmouth, Ore-
gon.Cliff Morham, a well-known resident
of the Canadian metropolis, arrived in
the city yesterday and registered at
the Empress hotel.Capt. William McLeod, head of the
Western Division Secret Service De-
partment of the C. P. R., was a visitor
in the city yesterday.Henry Miller, Miss Ruth Chatterton
and Mrs. Chatterton and other mem-
bers of "The Rainbow" company, stay-
ed at the Empress hotel.E. W. Nesbitt, representative of
North Oxford at Ottawa, paid a brief
visit to Victoria yesterday, returning
on midnight boat to Vancouver.E. C. Trench left yesterday via the
North Coast Limited and the steamship
Baltic for England. Mrs. Trench and
Miss Belcher will leave here on Mon-
day to join Mr. Trench at Seattle.Lieutenant-Governor Paterson is to
open the Okanagan Valley show at
Vernon next week. Mrs. Paterson will
accompany him to Vernon, where they
will be guests of Hon. Price Ellison.George J. Charlton, passenger traffic
manager of the Chicago & Alton rail-
way; Dr. M. L. Harris, the eminent
Chicago surgeon, and George B. Mc-
Clellan, of Norwood, Wyo., are guests
at the Empress hotel for the day.H. C. Hormensen and Otto Larsen,
who have been engaged in whaling
operations here for some years past,
left yesterday by the Northern Pacific
and the Scandinavian American line
for a visit to Norway and Sweden.Mr. and Mrs. M. Burge left yester-
day afternoon for Seattle, en route for
California, where they will spend some
weeks holidaying in San Francisco,
Pasadena, Los Angeles and other
points.Livestock Commissioner William T.
McDonald left last night for Saskat-
oon to attend the conference of the
livestock associations of the four
western provinces, called for the com-
pletion of arrangements for the for-
mation of the Western Canada Livestock
Union.Arthur V. White, consulting engineer
of the commission of conservation of
Canada, returned to Victoria yesterday
and registered at the Empress hotel,
where he will make his headquarters
until he has finished the season's
work on the water power investigation
in this province.

STYLES OF THE SEASON.

The two modes shown above are typical of the best styles of the season. That on the left shows a gracefully tailored suit, the coat and hem-depth of which are of soft broadcloth velvet. The deep-shaped roll collar and collar being of soft stone-grey which harmonizes beautifully with the under-ones of the blouse. The shoulder line of the coat is cut in the seamless kimono style, and an exceptionally smart touch is introduced by the man-ner of fitting the skirt of the jacket, which is slightly gathered in to a lengthened V-shaped band. The suit on the right is distinguished for the cut of the front panels of the jacket, which shows the smart vest of moire underneath. A short square-pointed panel in the front of the skirt catches on the gracefully-draped lines of this part of the costume, which is cut in one piece. A large gaboon of braid of a contrasting shade fastens the coat at a single point just beneath the large roll collar of soft satin.

FIRST THINGS

The first patent for the Bessemer method of manufacturing iron and steel, which revolutionized the indus-try, was granted by the British govern-ment to Henry Bessemer 58 years ago to-day. Additional patents covering improvements in the process were taken out in the following December and February. Bessemer's original process involved decarbonization, or the burning out of excess carbon, by blowing air through pig iron. Bessemer's revolutionary invention was due indirectly to the Crimean war. He undertook to invent an improved cannon, but found all available metals too weak for the gun he sought to make. He then began experiments in steel making, with the ultimate result of the production of "Bessemer steel." His invention won for him fame and fortune and the honor of knighthood. This year marks the centenary of Sir Henry Bessemer's birth. He was born in England, but was of French Hugue-not descent. Since his pioneer inven-tion the process of converting iron into steel have been vastly improved.

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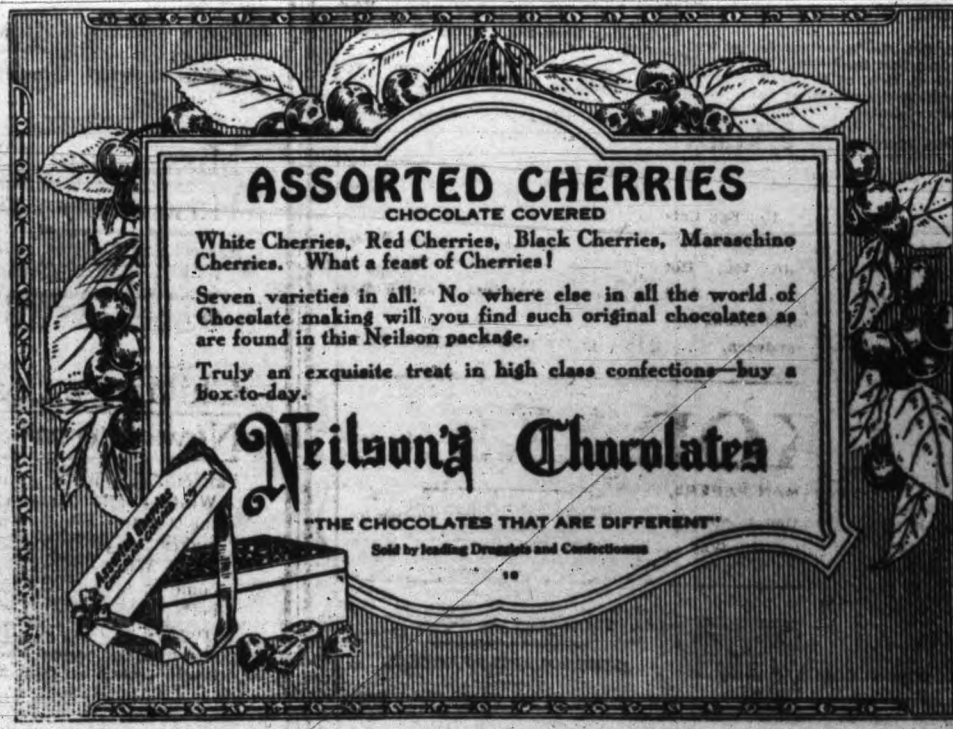
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Under the Benevolent Societies Act the Psychic Divine Society, Temple of the Soul, is gazetted this week. The society is to have for its object the furtherance of spiritual work, psychic research, moral reform and social intercourse. The first officers are to be: Pastor, Mrs. L. Reese, B. D.; secretary, J. H. Dunkley; and treasurer, W. Reese.

Harvey Coombe, registrar of voters, announces that the court of revision on the voters' lists for the electoral districts of Victoria and Esquimalt sits on November 17, at the Court House at ten a.m. The date for Saanich has already been set.

Reymour de Pulsaye Green, of Duncan, has been appointed a stipendiary magistrate for the Cowichan electoral district, to have jurisdiction for small debts in the North Cowichan municipality.

Tenders for the new schoolhouse at Cobble Hill are invited to be in by October 27 next.

Certificates of incorporation have been granted to the following companies:—Barcus Automatic Coupling Company, Commercial Cartage Company; Drummond, Fryer, Peebles & Company; Hartley Iron Works; Kalapa Mining Company; Nakusp Lodge No. 42, Knights of Pythias; Ogilvie, Oliver Investment Company; Robson Investment Company; and Safety Storage and Warehouse Company.

The Victoria (B. C.) Land Investment Trust, Limited, has been licensed as an extra provincial company. This company's head offices are at Bloomfield House, city of London.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Com-

pany has been granted a certificate of registration as an extra provincial company. The headquarters are at San Francisco. J. H. Lawson is the local attorney.

The head office of the Barcus company will be here, the objects of the company being to carry on the business of manufacturing and selling automatic couplings for the connection of hose pipes, conduits and cables, or any other such device as may be used for conveying fluids, operating the Dominion patent No. 149,408 of A. M. Barcus.

WERE WED YESTERDAY.

Miss Claudia M. Green Became Bride of Capt. Glencairn Cunningham at St. Mary's Church.

A charming event was quietly celebrated at St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock when the Right Reverend J. C. Roper, Bishop of Columbia, assisted by the Rev. G. H. Andrews, united in marriage Miss Claudia M. Hilyard Green, daughter of the Rev. S. F. and Mrs. Green, of Chareton Rectory, Dover, England, and Capt. Glencairn Cunningham, 8th Fusiliers, eldest son of the late Rev. T. S. and Mrs. Cunningham, of High Ham, Somerset, England.

The bride was most becomingly attired in a gown of ivory satin delicately trimmed with silk ribbon and pearls, her train being embroidered with a true lover's knot of pearls. Her veil was arranged under a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of white bride's roses and fern. She was given away by Lieut. Frank de Salis, 5th Regiment, and was attended by her sister, Miss E. Agatha Green, Lieut. L. H. Majors, 8th Fusiliers, acted as best man, Rev. the Hon. T. R. Henneage acted as bishop's chaplain.

Capt. and Mrs. Cunningham, who were the recipients of numerous handsome presents, left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 17.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over the Pacific slope, accompanied by fair weather, while on the Coast there are indications of an approaching change to unsettled conditions. The weather is moderately cold in the prairie provinces, and snow has fallen in North Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Increasing easterly and southerly winds, fair, followed by rain to-night or on Saturday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair, followed by rain to-night or on Saturday.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 46; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, 6 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 40; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 38; minimum, 34; wind, 12 miles S.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Thursday.

Temperature.

Highest 52

Lowest 46

Average 48

Bright sunshine, 2 hours 18 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

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Women's Knitted Wool and Cotton Combinations, long sleeves and ankle length. Regular \$1.50 values. Sale price, per garment \$1.20
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Cream and Natural Wool and Cotton Vests and Drawers. Regular to 90c values. Sale price, per garment 50¢
Knitted Vests in white only, with long sleeves and high necks, also Drawers. Sale price, per garment 25¢
Heavyweight Knitted Cotton Combinations, fleece lined, long sleeves and ankle length. Regular \$1.00 values. Sale price 90¢
Swiss Knitted Silk and Wool Vests and Drawers. Regular \$2.25 and \$2.50 values. Sale price, per garment \$1.35
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Size 68 x 86 inches. Regular \$7.50 values. Per pair \$6.75
Size 72 x 90 inches. Regular \$8.50 values. Per pair \$7.65
Scotch Wool Blankets with blue or pink borders; size 60 x 86 inches. Regular \$7.25 values. Per pair \$6.95
Size 68 x 86 inches. Regular \$8.50 values. Per pair \$7.95
Size 72 x 90 inches. Regular \$9.75 values. Per pair \$8.75
Size 78 x 94 inches. Regular \$11 values. Per pair \$9.90
Scotch Bath Blankets with blue or pink borders; size 72 x 90 inches. Regular \$9.50 values. Per pair at \$8.55
Size 76 x 94 inches. Regular \$10.50 values. Per pair \$9.45
Size 81 x 99 inches. Regular \$11.50 values. Per pair \$10.35
Scotch Wool Blankets with blue, pink and indigo borders; size 64 x 84 inches. Regular \$7.00 values. Per pair \$6.30
Size 68 x 86 inches. Regular \$8.00 values. Per pair \$7.25
Size 70 x 90 inches. Regular \$9.00 values. Per pair \$8.25
Size 76 x 94 inches. Regular \$10.00 values. Per pair \$9.00 —Main Floor

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"THE RAINBOW" WAS A DRAMATIC TREAT

Intensely Human Little Comedy Was Well Acted by Excellently Balanced Co.

A. E. Thomas is the author of "The Rainbow," and it is conservative to say that his charming work offered at the Victoria theatre last evening will remain one of the treats of the dramatic season in Victoria. Technically unconventional in that the play introduced the leading character in the first episode, and did not produce at all for the audience's admiration the young man whom the leading lady was to marry the story was equally so in that it was not a love story, but a story of love, of paternal and filial love. The construction of the play was almost faultless, one's interest being held from curtain to curtain. The climaxes of the first and second acts, the first happy and the latter woe-filled, were splendidly worked up, and the speech in which Nell Sumner, the leading character, pleaded with his wife to return to him was a wonderful piece of writing. The lines throughout were clever, full of wit and often epigrammatic. The people were all intensely human and the situations natural.

The story is of a couple separated because of an indiscretion of the husband and the pride of the wife. Their daughter, six years old when they separated, is 15 when the play opens and is in the legal custody of her mother. The child suddenly determines that she must know her father. He, left alone, had fallen into somewhat careless ways, and loose company, but the return of his daughter acted as a stimulus to bring him to correct his ways for her sake. Just as he had cut the last tie with his old life the mother determined that the child must return to her, for fear she should be contaminated by her father's friends. Between the father and daughter had grown up one of those rare mutual loves which sweeten the bitterest lives. Nell Sumner did not dare tell his daughter that she was leaving him for good, and the farewell, where the girl thought she was going for only two days and her father knew it was forever, was one of the most powerful scenes ever enacted in Victoria's theatre.

Friends bring the husband and wife together, and the wife learns that for ten years she has been living on the bounty of the husband whom pride had caused her to leave. She believed she was receiving an income from her personal estate. This estate in reality her brother had partly stolen and partly invested in worthless mines. Her husband had kept the fact from her for all those years of their separation. The daughter acted as the intermediary, and the couple was reconciled.

Henry Miller is featured in the advertising of "The Rainbow" as the star, but after witnessing the play the conclusion was imperative that in ability, if not in fame, the company was an all-star one. Perfect restraint and self-possession marked the work of every member of the company, and hardly a gesture or inflection was faulty.

Mr. Miller's was the chief part, and not once did he fail to make his Nell Sumner entirely convincing. His farewell to his daughter was intensely moving, and his recitation of his sad life story in the last act was accomplished with superb dignity, which did not conceal the emotion beneath. In the lighter moments his odd little mannerisms lent color to his every accent.

A wonderfully clever little lady was Miss Ruth Chatterton, whose dainty beauty and naive grace completely captivated her audience. The sober innocence and clinging affection of the fictitious person she portrayed, Cynthia Sumner, were so unaffectedly attained that one felt she was living her own character before the footlights. Miss Louise Closser Hale had a most effective way of making her points as Nell's maiden sister. Her conception

of the somewhat testy, but thoroughly good-hearted, old maid was original and appealing. To her lot fell many of the epigrams which sparkled throughout the play, and her simple direct way of driving them home was most effective. Beautifully restrained was the work of Miss Alice Baxter as Mrs. Sumner, and Miss Hope's work in the part of Mrs. Palmer was marred by only one unfortunate break in her big scene in the second act. A strong episode was marred by her turning to the audience.

Charles Hammond as Ned, the peace-maker, and Robert Stowe Gill as Hollins, Sumner's sarcastic parasite, were actors of sterling merit, and Daniel Pennell did an odd character bit in the last act as an American abroad. His type was reminiscent of Dickens' conception of Americans.

One thing more should be said. The title of a play seldom matters, but in this case its beautiful symbolism was a true poetic fancy.

SCRAP BOOK.

Centenary of Annexation of Canada by United States

The annexation of Canada by the United States has been discussed and considered, with more or less seriousness, ever since the birth of the republic. The conquest of Canada was a favorite project of George Washington, and, by proclamations and force of arms, he vainly sought to realize his dream. At the outbreak of the war of 1812, Eustis, American secretary of war, asserted that "we can take the Canadas without soldiers." The astute Jefferson considered the conquest "a mere matter of marching," while Henry Clay boasted that "we have the Canadas under our command."

The successful resistance offered by the British American provinces to the ensuing invasion came as a tremendous surprise to the people of the United States. The efficiency and military ability of Sir Isaac Brock, Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada, was more than a match for that of the officers sent against him. Brock was killed early in the war, and conditions were reversed when the gallant William Henry Harrison opposed the dilatory General Proctor. Harrison's victory in the battle of the Thames, early in October, 1813, following Perry's triumph on Lake Erie, seemed to open the way for a realization of American hopes in the direction of Canada.

So certain were Harrison and Perry that Canada lay prostrate beneath their feet that, just one hundred years ago to-day, October 17, 1813, they signed and issued a remarkable proclamation declaring Upper Canada formally and finally annexed to the United States!

In this proclamation it was stated that, by the combined operations of the land and naval forces of the United States, British power had been destroyed in the upper districts of Canada, which were "in quiet possession" of United States troops. Perry and Harrison, therefore, proclaimed that the rights and privileges of the inhabitants of the conquered country, and their laws and customs, which were in force prior to the annexation of the country to the United States, should continue to prevail, and that all magistrates and other civil officers might resume their functions, after taking an oath of fidelity to the United States government!

Having annexed Upper Canada—although the people of the conquered territory almost unanimously refused to admit the authority of the United States—the Washington government immediately planned the conquest of the lower province. By October an army of 3,000 men was assembled at Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., for an attack upon Montreal. The Americans were decisively defeated in the battle of Chryslers Farm, and another invading army was vanquished on the field of Chateaugay. In these two engagements some 15,000 Americans were turned back from the descent on Montreal by only about 2,500 British and Canadians.

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SIDNEY WITNESSES HEARD AT ASSIZES

How Residents of Town Were
Induced to Take Bankers'
Trust Stock

At the outset and the close of the sitting of the assize court yesterday afternoon there was humorous reference to the pending bye-election in the islands, within the bounds of which the town of Sidney is situated. In fact, judge and counsel, and occasionally witnesses, are varying the monotony for the jurors by flashes of wit interspersed through the dry details of the business transactions which are being dealt with in the course of the trial.

The cross-examination of John Brethour began as soon as the court opened after luncheon. He was asked by Mr. Powell if he expected the jury to believe that he, an intelligent man, would buy stock after only fifteen minutes' conversation with Skidmore, a complete stranger to him. Mr. Brethour replied that this was correct.

"Surely that is not your answer," said Mr. Powell. "You would not have us believe you a simpleton? You take a great deal of interest in the politics of your district?"

"Is that a sign of intelligence?" asked his lordship. William Moore, of Moore & Whittington, told how he was approached to buy stock by J. R. Moore, who informed him that they were anxious to have a lumber merchant connected with the corporation, as they intended to build about one hundred houses on land they had either already purchased or were about to acquire.

John Roberts, a chauffeur, Sidney, said he had been canvassed by Skidmore, who told him that the company had cleared \$300,000 by the construction of bungalows in Vancouver. Later on he was made a proposition to buy some of Mr. Brethour's lots, but he refused to do anything until shown the deeds, and on that he was told that it would be necessary to write to Cook for them. In cross-examination witness denied that he had been either drugged or hypnotized by Skidmore. He had simply been talked into parting with his good money.

T. R. Davis, Sidney, one of the directors, described his meetings with Cook, Moore and Skidmore, and how he came to buy stock for which he gave \$2,000 cash and \$2,000 in notes. After a luncheon at the Sidney hotel, when Skidmore acted as host, he had driven Cook about the town to show it to him, at Skidmore's request. Cook had commented on several vacant places, which he said would be good sites for bungalows. The witness had not Moore, who had said: "Are you going to be one of us?" and on his

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replying in the affirmative Moore said: "You will never regret it."

In view of subsequent developments this caused an audible smile.

"It has been suggested that the directors wanted to wind the company up in order to escape liability on their shares," said Crown Prosecutor Robertson.

"There is nothing to that," replied the witness. "I never heard of such a thing."

To Mr. Powell the witness said he had thought it was a courageous thing for Fletcher to decline to meet his notes, but Fletcher had not asked the other directors to come forward and

save the sinking ship by doing the same. Mr. Davis said he had been influenced to invest in Bankers' Trust stock largely by the fact that well-known and honorable men were shareholders.

Peter N. Tester, of the Sidney hotel, said he unfortunately knew Frank Skidmore, and as a result had given \$200 cash and \$500 in notes. He figured that he had got absolutely no value for this, and at present he did not even possess the certificate of stock. The hotel proposition, he said, was but one of several Sidney propositions. Cook and Skidmore had, others being the building of bungalows and the construction of swimming tanks, and it was the one that "got his goat."

There was some good-humored chaff between Mr. Aikman and the witness as to the latter's abilities as a hotel man. Mr. Tester thought it just as laudable an ambition for him to want to be manager of a \$25,000 hotel as for Mr. Aikman to hope for a seat on the bench. He did not desire to be thought a crack hotel-keeper, but he was a fairly good one. Skidmore had a fancy, he said, that he could make him think he was a big man, but between them, witness declared, Skidmore was the best crack and he the best hotel man.

Arthur Harvey, butcher, Sidney, said he had bought fifty shares through Skidmore, paying \$250 cash and \$250 in notes. To Mr. Powell the witness said he had been introduced to Skidmore by Henry Brethour. This would not have had any influence on him in what was a business deal between himself and Skidmore. The latter had come to him with a letter of introduction from F. W. Anderson, manager of the Merchants Bank, but this would not have any more influence on him in a business matter than the fact of an introduction from Mr. Brethour.

Mr. Powell put a hypothetical question as to which of the two gentlemen would have the most influence with him, to which the witness replied that political considerations would have more weight.

"That's how the land lies, is it?" said counsel. "What are you, a Liberal?"

"There is an election coming off pretty soon and I must not say anything," witness answered.

"Mr. Powell, you must not take advantage of the court to do any canvassing," the judge admonished counsel with a twinkle in his eye.

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A few of our comparative prices are here mentioned, and we request your inspection of our bargains; the gain will certainly be yours.

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Conditions of Contest

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gentlemen will act as judges, whose decision will be final.

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8th prize—One Sugar Bowl, silver-plated.

9th prize—One Celery Jar, figured glass and silver trimmings.

10th prize—One Pickle Jar, figured glass and silver trimmings.

11th prize—One Sugar Bowl, figured glass and silver trimmings.

12th prize—One Butter Dish, silver-plated.

13th prize—One Sugar Bowl, glass and silver trimmings.

14th prize—One Pickle Jar, glass and silver trimmings.

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OPIUM DENS RAIDED

Twenty-Three Chinese Arrested by Detectives Murray and Macdonald in Fisguard Street Houses.

A successful double raid was carried out by Detectives Murray and Macdonald last night in Fisguard street and twenty-three Chinese graced the police court dock this morning on charges of smoking opium or being in an opium joint.

Before midnight the premises at 551 Fisguard street were visited and there Fung Took was caught in the act of smoking. He had no recourse this morning but to plead guilty with a bland Oriental smile, a smile which diminished somewhat when a fine of \$25 and \$50 costs was imposed, with an alternative of one month in jail.

About three o'clock this morning the detectives called at 551 Fisguard street and there they found twenty-two Chinese smoking or lounging about. The layout found was one of the largest and most complete yet taken in a raid. There were ten lamps going when the unwelcome visitors walked in, having outwitted the guards, and all the other paraphernalia required by the customers for the soothing weed were in evidence.

To make the case easier of presentation and remove the chance of the prisoners fighting it on the point of whether they were smoking or not the charge laid was that of being found in a disorderly house without lawful excuse, and under the amended code the finding of the implements for opium smoking in the house is prima facie evidence of its character.

There was an awful chatter as the men were lined up with the assistance of June, the interpreter. In the end there faced the court Ah Sam, Ah Lim, Ben, Chong Suet, Sung, Jesse Sing, Lee Sam, Lee Chung, Lim Sam, Lee Ho, Lee Lum, Hung Long, Baw, Nap, Chong Sing, Wong Sung, Long Tim, Jim Yung, Lung Sam, Quong, Lee Vet, Sing.

From this aggregation, after June had explained to them that there was no question about whether they smoked or not but that they were charged with being in a place where opium smoking was going on, he sorted out three who pleaded guilty. These were Lung Sam, Nap and Lee Vet. A little more consideration of conditions induced Ben to join them. These four were each fined \$25 and \$1 costs or one month in jail.

MANY AT EXHIBITION

Annual Event of Arts and Crafts Club is Finer Than Former Shows.

The first day's attendance at the exhibition of the Island Arts and Crafts Club, which opened yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, was a very fine indication of the increased interest which the public is taking in the aesthetic, the hall being well-filled during the entire afternoon and evening, and the greatest interest being shown in all departments of work shown.

The Bishop of Columbia, who performed the opening ceremony, referred to the increased number of exhibits as compared with previous years, and said that it tended to disencourage the generally accepted idea, which he had never quite acquiesced in, that this was a material age. As long as a country was working out its development the minds of the men and women in it were necessarily occupied with that which they had in hand. It did not mean that they were essentially materialistic because they did so, and he hoped that those who had worked in making the country what it was would enter into the richness of those other things with which Nature had so generously endowed them, and which, in the hands of skilled workmen, had been in many instances so wonderfully transferred to canvas. His Lordship congratulated those who had been responsible for the institution and promotion of the Island Arts and Crafts Club, mentioning particularly the names of the president, Dr. Hasell, Mr. Shalcross and Miss Mills.

Dr. Hasell in responding said that what they had done had been through their love of art and their anxiety that the public might have an opportunity to see the pictures and crafts which were being made by artists.

In the evening a delightful short programme of vocal numbers was given under direction of H. G. E. Pocock, those who took part being Miss Lugin, Mrs. Codd, R. B. McKenzie and Mr. Pocock.

WILL NOT RUN AGAIN

Chairman of Saanich School Board Retires Because of Regulations of New School Act.

Owing to the regulation which became effective in the amended school act passed at the last session of the legislature, Munroe Miller, chairman of the Saanich school board, will not seek election when his term of office expires.

Formerly the only qualification was that of a householder, but the statute now makes it essential for the trustee to be an owner of property also. The legislation was not to become effective, however, till the next vacancies occurred.

school, which is a model of public school construction. The sum of \$30,000 has been contributed by the government, and \$30,000 by the ratepayers to school improvements, and only a few days ago Mr. Miller, and Mr. Campbell, the secretary, were able to secure an additional grant from the department for the new Strawberry Vale school.

He has now served two terms, or four years, on the joint board, but in the old days, when each school had its own trustees, he served for nine years on the board controlling the Cedar Hill school.

Now being only a householder in the municipality, he ceases to be eligible for election.

WILL BE BIG CONVENTION

H. J. Knott, Victoria, Will Be Among Speakers at B. C. Sunday School Meeting at Vancouver.

Mount Pleasant Methodist church, Vancouver, will be the scene of a great convention of Sunday school workers and 7,000 A. boys' leaders from October 21 to 24, the opening address to be made by Dr. Sippell, of the Mount Pleasant church, on Tuesday afternoon next at 2:30.

Special workers are coming from Chicago and Toronto to attend the convention, while representatives from all over the province will also be present, including John L. Alexander, superintendent of the "Teen Age" division of the National Sunday School Association; Taylor Statton, National boys' work secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Canada; Harold Waite, Canadian general secretary of the Boy's Life movement; Dr. Eber Crumney, H. J. Knott, of Victoria, president of the association; H. W. Collier, Rev. E. A. Henry, Mayor Baxter, Rev. M. M. Moss, Alderman Mahon, F. J. McKellar, Rev. I. W. Williamson, and many others. All of these will speak.

Tuesday night is to be a special night for boys, and a special invitation has been given to Boy Scouts and Boy Brigades to be on hand. Thursday night is to be a special Bible class night, and a great number of Bible class teachers, workers and friends of the Sunday school is being organized. The meeting will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and will be addressed by Mr. Alexander and Rev. I. W. Williamson.

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LLOYD GEORGE AND THE HOUSE OF CECIL

Chancellor of the Exchequer
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Members of That Family

The Right Honorable Lloyd George gives the illustrious house of Cecil a right royal whack in the following letter recently contributed by him to the London Times:

Sir, Lord Salisbury writes to express disapproval of my investments, and to assure the public on behalf of all the members of his family that they are quite incapable of making such a choice, and he challenges me to name any of them that ever indulged in any conduct that transgressed the austere principles laid down by his brother for the guidance of Liberal ministers. I accept the late Lord Salisbury's definition of his family boundaries. I will now supply him with three cases in which the family trampled upon every principle laid down by Lord Robert Cecil in his "Judicial" report. The first I will put not in my own words, but in those employed by Mr. Chamberlain:

"I will give you an instructive illustration: It is part of the history of the country. The whole of the circumstances will be found in the pages of *Memorandum*. It was in the second session in which I attended parliament that my late friend, Mr. Fawcett, called the attention of the House of Commons to the bill which had been introduced by the Metropolitan Board of Works for a great metropolitan improvement. It proposed to carry a big street from Charing-cross to Tottenham-court-road, which was to go through a densely populated and miserable neighborhood, where there are to this day hundreds of those wretched dwellings of the artisan class in London which have since excited the commiseration and sympathy of Lord Salisbury and his colleagues. Well, the Metropolitan Board of Works proposed to take the land on either side of the street, according to their usual practice, and in some way to lessen the cost of improvement by the increased value which the new street would give to the thoroughfare. But when the bill came before the committee of the House of Commons one great and powerful owner in the line of road by his agents



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opposed the bill, and claimed the insertion of a clause for his special protection, which provided that the Board of Works should not take one inch more of the land than was necessary for the formation of the street, and that he should have the frontage along the whole line of his property. Just consider what that meant. It meant, in the first place, that this landowner was to have the fullest possible price for his land. It was to be bought from him at its prospective value. He was to have compensation for severance, and then he was to have 10 per cent. for compulsory sale, and heaped upon all this he was to have the enormous advantage and profit which the turning of his property into the front land of a great thoroughfare would add to its value.

Well, the committee of the House of Commons, finding out that this proposal was altogether exceptional in its character, that there was only one single precedent for it, and that in the case of a great Tory peer, Lord Cadogan, a member of the present government, whose property had been protected in this way in connexion with the Chelsea embankment, finding that the proposal was altogether exceptional, the committee of the House of Commons rejected the clause. But when the bill got up to the House of Lords, this great landowner was one of their number, a peer of great influence in the Upper Chamber. The committee of the Lords inserted this clause for his protection, and for his protection alone, although there were many other landowners affected by the same bill. Mr. Fawcett, I say, called

the attention of the House of Commons to these circumstances, and he moved that the House disapprove of the Lords' amendment, and so strong was the feeling in the House of Commons that the resolution was carried without a division. A Tory member—Sir James Macdonald, chairman of the Metropolitan Board of Works—said in his place that if this clause were passed it would involve all further metropolitan improvements, so greatly would it add to their cost; and another Tory member, Mr. Bates, the member for Plymouth, said the clause would be a fraud upon the ratepayers. "Who do you think was the landowner, the conduct of whose agents was stigmatised by Tory members in the language I have quoted? It was the Marquess of Salisbury—the Prime Minister of England."

I think Lord Salisbury will find it very difficult to argue that this is a case in which public duty did not conflict with private interest. To use Mr. Chamberlain's impressive words, it is "an instructive illustration."

The second is the case of another member of the family who was very horrified because he thought ministers had "speculated" in the shares of a perfectly honorable commercial concern. That distinguished member of the Cecil family, when he held very high office himself, had a "flatter" to use another Cecilian phrase, in White-taker Wright's fraudulent concern, and he certainly found on that occasion that public duty and private interest came into direct conflict. Perhaps he forgot that little incident when he invited the House of Commons to censure Liberal ministers for "speculations" in shares.

I now come to a third Cecilian delinquency. My investment was in a company which had no contract with the British government, and which could derive no part of its profits from any such contract. But Lord Salisbury must be aware that a minister in the Salisbury administration—a relative of Lord Salisbury—was a director as well as a shareholder of an important company at a time when the government of which he was a member were negotiating and putting through a huge contract with that company. That contract directly affected his own department. As a director it was not merely his interest but his duty to get the best terms out of the government. Was there ever a clearer case of public duty and private interest clashing? And yet I heard another distinguished member of the Cecil family, also a minister, defending this conduct in the House of Commons. Why, if I were a little further back, I could demonstrate how, very properly, which gives Lord Salisbury his only consequence in the rate was acquired by methods which laid the greatest of the Cecils under suspicion of placing himself in a position where his private interest and public duty conflicted.

Lord Salisbury must accept the whole responsibility for dragging these particulars once more into the light of day, and I would suggest that the next time he and his family presume to be "judges" to use his own phrase, of the conduct of others in relation to their property, it would be just as well if they bore those little family incidents in mind.

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Nationalist Leader Gives Interview on Home Rule; Carson's Government is Impossibility

"We shall go straight on. Things will run their normal course. The Home Rule Bill will pass into law. With these words Mr. John Redmond, in an interview with a London Chronicle representative at Kilmarnock, broke his holiday silence. The Irish leader was spending the week-end amid the beautiful scenery of Kilmarnock preparatory to addressing a large Nationalist gathering at Kilmarnock on Sunday. This meeting marked the opening of perhaps the most remarkable Home Rule campaign Great Britain and Ireland have ever seen. No fewer than 400 meetings are already arranged throughout the length and breadth of these islands, and in a week or two 400 more will be held. Ministers will speak at about 300 of these demonstrations.

The Nationalist leader looks bronzed and fit. He has spent his holiday in his favorite Wicklow, shooting, fishing, bathing, and he added with a smile, "I'm in the best of health."

That nothing has assailed between Mr. Redmond and the Provisional Government at once of all rumors that the government was disposed to yield to Unionist clamor.

"Yes," repeated Mr. Redmond, "events will simply take their normal course. The attitude of Sir Edward Carson, his lieutenant and followers, as well as the reception accorded to Lord Lonsdale's letter, appear to put a conference absolutely out of the question. It is not that Nationalists are averse to conferences.

"I have said for a long time, I repeat it now, and will say the same at

the conference to-morrow that if the Unionists will accept the principle of an Irish parliament with an executive responsible to it, we would, I am sure, give favorable consideration to any reasonable request put forward. But Sir Edward Carson last May said, at the time there was some talk of conference, that if the moment ever came for compromise he would retire. That really disposes of the whole idea of conference, for if we are not to confer with those who represent Ulster, with whom must we discuss the matter?

"We are most emphatically not going into a conference to discuss whether Ireland is to have Home Rule or not. We are not, at the moment of victory, going to throw the whole business back into the melting pot. That would be an act of sheer insanity.

No General Election. "A general election," said the Irish leader, "is absolutely unthinkable. It would mean the tearing up of the Parliament Act and beginning all over again."

"And what about the idea of a general election between the passing of the bill and its coming into force?" he was asked.

"That," replied Mr. Redmond with decision, "would be still more unthinkable and preposterous. It would be a stupid and cowardly action, and I am perfectly satisfied that the government never has had, and has not now, any such intention. If the government did go to the country at that time it would go without the plural voting bill being in force. The heavy handicap against progress which plural voting involves must never again be accepted in a great political struggle."

"My forecast is," went on Mr. Redmond, "that the government will go the full length of its tether, pass the three great bills—Home Rule, Welsh Disestablishment, and Plural Voting—and then proceed to the problems of Lords' reform and redistribution, which will most likely be questions upon which it will take the next verdict of the country."

"P. G." Idea All Bunkum. "And now, what do you think of Sir Edward Carson's provisional government?" was the next question.

"Well," was Mr. Redmond's reply, "I think a great deal too much importance has been attached to the whole affair. The idea of a provisional government is really all bunkum. It is almost too set up to be taken seriously. If it were set up it would not last long. Let anyone set himself to think what a provisional government would mean. It would require its own judiciary; its decisions would not be valid outside the province; no Belfast trader could sue anyone in any other

part of Ireland. It would be a mere shadow, only a few things, need to have its own police, army, home secretary, and president of the local government board. All Imperial grants such as those for education, local government, public works, agriculture, and so on would cease. There would be no old age pensions for aged people living under the provisional government, and all money paid under the Insurance Act would be lost. Could Ulster finance old age pensions and insurance schemes of its own? Of course not. The very idea is ludicrously absurd."

"Then Ulster would have to establish its own post office, and its stamps would not be recognized in the rest of Ireland or in countries of the postal union. No Belfast merchant could sign a legal cheque, or give a legal receipt for money paid in dealing with places outside Ulster. Nor could any barrister practice outside the province. Stock exchange transactions by Ulster people would be impossible. Ships with cargoes on which customs' duty is paid would simply go to Dublin instead of Belfast."

"One has only to consider such facts, and there are many more, to see what a disastrous effect a mad scheme of that kind would have on business. Why, it would shatter and destroy the prosperity of Belfast in a very short time. Moreover, the refusal to pay taxes would not hit an Irish parliament at all. Under the Home Rule Bill the Imperial taxes are to be collected by the Imperial parliament, and a certain sum, irrespective of the amount collected, is handed over to the Irish parliament."

Nationalists Confident. "No," went on the Irish leader, "the whole Carsonian plan is grossly stupid. Nationalists are not a bit alarmed, but have the utmost confidence that the Irish question is going to be settled now, and in the only way. No Tory government, or, indeed, any other government, could possibly govern Ireland if this bill broke down; and my belief is that the Tory leaders understand that perfectly."

All the younger Unionists would be glad to see the matter settled and out of the way. Opposition to Home Rule has utterly broken down. All talk about the religious persecution of Protestants has gone. Unionists in the south and west of Ireland are very sick about the absurd actions of their party. Hundreds and thousands of Irish Conservatives would be glad to see the whole problem settled. They don't like Carson, and when the bill is passed they will settle down quietly, make the best of it, and work for Ireland's good. They don't like to see the Conservative party tied up with Carsonism. Sir Edward Carson and his friends all know

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However, it is twelve years ago since the famous Metropolitan star left her homeland for more Occidental climes, although the fact that she studied music for the first time under Marchesi in Paris still later does not mean that she began her musical training within so recent a date of her first public appearance. Always a singer, even she explained yesterday to a Times reporter, when so small that her father had to lift her up on a chair so that she might be seen by her audience, the gift of music came naturally, and long before she left Australia her apt musical sense and love of song had made her well-known opera.

In Paris she studied for one year with the great Marchesi, then made her debut. This was in the Paris Opera, in Massenet's "Manon," the composer himself training her for the part. Six years ago she made her debut at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, and a year later, with Caruso in "Rigoletto," made her appearance at Covent Garden in the Italian season. A year later she began her first American tour, never, however, getting further west than St. Paul, Minneapolis, and other places in the same part of the United States. In Europe she has been heard in a number of the leading musical centres, including, besides Paris, Brussels and Milan.

Madame Alda, when questioned as to her favorite role, replied that she had no favorite.

"All are my favorites—when I am singing them," she replied.

"Yes," she continued in response to

another question, "I do have holidays, and last (this) summer I had my best, my first real vacation. Two whole months in Paris, then on to Maribad, Bayreuth and Nurnberg. It was delightful. We came back six weeks earlier than usual from Europe this summer, however, as we do not usually return until the end of October."

Madame Alda's ancestors no doubt contributed much to her musical genius, as her grandmother was a well-known singer in her time, and an aunt also attained quite a wide fame as a vocalist. Madame Alda's husband, Gatti Casazza, who is, it is almost unnecessary to add, Italian, is manager of the Metropolitan Opera House, and her career seems to have been fore-shadowed and preordained by assisting agents on all sides.

This year the artist will make her first appearance at the Metropolitan on November 28, in "La Boheme," on November 25 this will be preceded by her New York concert at Carnegie Hall. Other engagements for opera seasons are—January 12, Chicago; January 17, Montreal; Boston the end of January, and about fifty concerts which are to be worked in before the end of the season. The programme looks a strenuous one, but evidently the singer is by nature endowed with an almost inexhaustible fund of energy and tireless vocal strength. Last week she sang in three concerts, at Reading, Erie and Aurora, winding up on Sunday evening with a concert at Chicago, and the same evening, catching the train which brought her to Seattle and Victoria.

"It is not," said the singer, "the singing which tires me, but the railway journey in between the different places. On my way back I am to sing in Seattle, Portland and Salem, and in seven days in San Francisco I will have no less than six concerts, followed by three in Los Angeles."

Alda last year created Damrosch's opera, "Cyrano de Bergerac," and this year at Boston will sing one of Wagner's operas, "Die Meistersinger," Weingartner conducting. This will be the first time, she confesses, that she will have sung the great German composer's work in Germany, although once in Brussels she sang Elsa in French.

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Creditors of Carnival Attend Meeting of Committee and Hear of Plans.

Creditors to the number of about 25 attended the meeting of the Victoria Citizens' Committee last evening at the Real Estate Exchange, Mr. Paul, appreciation of the work of the committee. The chairman stated that a further dividend of 10 per cent had been paid that day to all creditors, thus reducing the deficit of the late carnival from \$10,940 to \$3,540. With the aid of all creditors and citizens the committee expresses the hope that it will be able to continue to reduce the deficit by giving various entertainments during the winter. At present the committee is working on a number of suggestions offered at yesterday's meeting. Announcement of further undertakings will be made in the course of a few days.

LARGE APARTMENT HOUSE.

Building Permit is Issued For Structure on Cook Street Costing \$16,000.

For the second time this month a large building permit for an apartment house has been issued, on this occasion to H. S. Patrick for a block on Cook street, in the Fairfield estate. Jesse M. Warren has prepared the design and T. H. Brown is the contractor.

There will be 32 rooms in the building, which will be planned for stores on the street level, and the cost will be \$16,000. The popularity of the Fairfield district for apartment houses does not seem to show any diminution. The building being outside the Class B limits will be of frame construction.

"THE GIRL FROM MUMMS"

"The Girl From Mumms" brings together one of the most popular combinations in musical comedy, the means of having J. J. Oliver, who for five years played opposite Miss Olive Vail back in the same capacity. Both Miss Vail and Mr. Oliver will be heard at Victoria theatre on October 21 and 22 in the season's musical comedy success, "The Girl From Mumms."

MEETINGS

Anti-Tuberculosis Meeting.—The monthly meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be held on October 27 at 2.30 p.m. in the King's Daughters rest room.

First Presbyterian Church.—Services in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday morning will be Thanksgiving services, with suitable music. Rev. J. G. Inkster will preach, his subject to be "The Urgent Appeal of the Harvest."

Emerson Class.—A large Emerson class has been organized at the Progressive Thought Temple, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard street. The meetings are held on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The study this week is the essay on Self-reliance.

Conference of Christians.—On Thanksgiving Day a conference of Christians will be held from 3 to 5 p.m., and from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Liberal hall, Cormorant street. The meeting is open to the public.

Rural Deanery Meeting.—The Rural Deanery conference, including delegates from all the parishes of Victoria, will meet on Tuesday next at 2.30 p.m. in the school room of St. Barnabas' church. Matters of interest to the diocese of Columbia will be discussed. The Rev. W. Raugh-Allen, rural dean, will preside.

Special Patriotic Service.—Thanksgiving and Trafalgar Day services will be combined at St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, on Sunday night, when hymns of a national character will be sung. The Trafalgar chapter of the I. O. D. E. has been specially invited to attend. The Rev. G. H. Andrews will preach both morning and evening.

Hold Sacred Concert.—St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold a grand sacred concert on Tuesday, November 11, in aid of the organ and choir fund of the church. Jesse Longfield will be in charge, and will conduct the choir of 45 voices, while Miss Jennie Taggart, formerly soprano soloist of the Sheffield choir, will assist by singing a number of the solos.

Christian Endeavor Rally.—The Christian Endeavor rally will be held in the new Congregational church at 7.45 p.m. next Tuesday. The speaker for the evening will be W. J. Shortt, who will give his impressions of the International Christian Endeavor convention at Los Angeles, to which he was a delegate. Special music has been provided, and the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. The rally is open to the public.

CITY OFFERS \$5,000

Compensation for Fairfield Road Expropriations is Before Arbitrators To-day; Bagshaw Claim.

When the arbitrators settled down to business in the Fairfield road arbitration case this morning, City Solicitor Robertson made a tender of \$5,000 to settle the claim of George J. Bagshaw, nurseryman on that road, for damages through the widening scheme.

After the oath had been administered the arbitrators adjourned to the scene, and later returned to the city hall to hear evidence. Mr. Bagshaw was notified in 1911, it appeared from the statement made on his behalf by Lindsey Crease, K. C., that the city would require part of the room on which four greenhouses were constructed, and early in 1912 the premises were remodelled in accordance with the stakes put in by the surveyors.

The claimant sought the sum of \$13,175.80, and on his behalf Mr. Crease contended it was fair to compute the business and good will, the potential value, the value to the owner, and the result of the widening scheme, not only in connection with the value of the land taken, but the effect on the business of Mr. Bagshaw.

City Solicitor Robertson then tendered \$5,000 in settlement, the city having offered \$13,330 in the negotiations, but Mr. Crease said it would not be fair for the arbitrators to consider that offer at this late date.

Evidence for the city will be offered by City Assessor Northcott, Land Purchasing Agent Sargison, and Park Superintendent Purdy.

A quantity of correspondence was put in detailing the negotiations of the past two years and proving that the owner had sought a settlement when the by-law was first passed in January, 1912.

John Dean is acting for the city, Mr. Russell for the claimant, and J. Elford as umpire in the proceedings.

CARELESS WITH FIREARMS

Act Prohibits Their Discharge in Victoria Harbor; Several Narrow Escapes.

Owing to the carelessness being shown by boys and men about Victoria in the handling of guns Game Warden Gidley is drawing the public attention to a section in the Game Protection Act, which makes it illegal to discharge a firearm within a certain area around Victoria. Several persons have had narrow escapes from being hit by bullets discharged from small rifles within the harbor, persons with these weapons acting with great carelessness in shooting at ducks and other birds on the harbor.

The section of the act describing the prohibited area reads as follows: "It shall be unlawful for any person at any time to discharge a firearm of any description within the following described area: Between Vancouver Island and a line drawn as follows: Commencing at Cardero Point (commonly called Ten-mile point), near the city of Victoria; thence in an easterly direction to Fulford reef; thence southerly to the southern-most point of Discovery Islands; thence south-westerly to the southern point of Trial Island; thence westerly to Brothage Ledge; thence to Macanlay Point; including all the waters of Victoria Harbor and the Gorge."

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

An important event in the Revolutionary War, which (to speak of no other result) had so great an effect in multiplying the population of Canada by the influx of Loyalists, occurred on October 17, 1777, in the surrender to the Americans under General Gates, at Saratoga, of General Burgoyne, with his whole army. No doubt this misfortune seemed the more annoying to many persons on the king's side, because the brave and efficient Carleton had been superseded (without good reason) to make way for Burgoyne, his former second-in-command. His army, of nine thousand men, had set forth from Canada, for the invasion of New York State, following an immense battle of preparation, which Carleton, though very angry at the slight put upon him, had done his utmost to further. An important result of the disaster was that France, which had not forgiven the loss of Canada, made a secret treaty with the American Congress. But it did not long remain secret, and soon France and England were again in open conflict, while the emissaries of the former nation bustled themselves in trying to seduce the French-Canadians from their allegiance to the English crown. Unwilling, however, to have the French again for neighbors, the Americans made no further attempt on Canada.

In a speech at Ingersoll twenty-six years ago to-day Sir Richard Cartwright declared boldly for reciprocity with the United States in agricultural and industrial products. In announcing the policy of "unrestricted reciprocity" and free trade with the neighboring republic, Sir Richard described the American market as the thing most necessary to Canadian prosperity and a source of wealth to the farmer, the fisherman and the miner. The address created a sensation throughout the Dominion, and later in the same month Sir Richard's platform was unanimously endorsed by the inter-provincial conference at Quebec, which was attended by the Liberal premiers of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, by the premier of Manitoba and other representatives of these governments. That "unrestricted reciprocity would be of advantage to all the provinces of the Dominion" was the opinion set forth in a resolution passed by the conference. Such was the beginning of the new reciprocity movement, gradually taken up by the Liberal party and which became the principal issue in the last general election.

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its report, which resulted, after a heated debate in parliament, in the resignation of Sir John Macdonald. On this date in 1878 the new Conservative ministry was formed, with Sir John Macdonald as prime minister.

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TO

Ash, Frederick Webster (London, Eng.); born, Quebec, 1864; assistant general manager of the Union Bank of Canada, 1907-1913; now manager of the London branch.

Black, William David, M. P. (Parliament, Ont.); born, Dundas county, Ont., 1867; Conservative M. P. for Addington since 1911.

Cockshutt, William Foster, M. P. (Brantford); born, Brantford, 1855; manufacturer; Conservative M. P. for Brantford, 1904-1908, and since 1911; a leader in the imperialist movement.

MacLennan, David Barr, M. A., K. C. (Cornwall, Ont.); born, Charlottetown, 1836; prominent in the course of the Presbyterian church and of Queen's university.

Mathers, Frederick Francis, L. L. B. (Halifax); born, St. John, N. B., 1871; deputy provincial secretary and clerk of the executive council of Nova Scotia since 1902.

Middleton, William, M. P. (Ottawa, Ont.); born, Orangeville, Ont., 1865; Conservative M. P. for North York since 1906.

Mitchell, Victor Evelyn, K. C. (Montreal); born, London, Eng., 1865; lawyer, soldier and company director.

Murray, James Peter (Toronto); born, Limerick, Ireland, 1852; one of the founders of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association; a founder of the Empire Club and one of the leaders of the imperialist movement in Canada.

Robidoux, Ferdinand Joseph, M. P. (Richibucto, N. B.); born, Shediac, 1875; Conservative M. P. for Kent, N. B., since 1911.

Saunders, Bryce Johnston, C. E. (Edmonton); born, Lyndhurst, Ont., 1869; municipal engineer and land surveyor; deputy minister of public works for the territories, 1902-1905; served in rebellion, 1855, and in South Africa.

Willway, Henry Hayes (Cochran, Sask.); born, Bristol, Eng., 1866; Conservative M. P. for Pleasant Hills, 1908-1911.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

Europe's foremost "lady killer" and professional gallant, the Duke of Alba, was born in Madrid thirty-five years ago to-day, and for nearly a score of years he has been noted for his adventures in gallantry. The duke is a deputy in the Spanish cortes, when he can spare the time, and a close friend of King Alfonso.

Maria del Pilar Carlos Manuel, seventeenth Duke of Alba Jacobo, and Stuart Fitz-James, tenth Duke of Berwick, were but a few of the titles of the young gallant, who is the grand-nephew of ex-Empress Eugenie of France. The first Duke of Berwick, from whom he is descended, was a natural son of James II. of England; and his mistress, Arabella Churchill, He is fourteen times a grandee of Spain, with enough titles to supply a pageant. He succeeded to the titles on the death of his father, the ninth duke, in 1890. The duke of Berwick was born in New York, having come to America as the guest of Sir Thomas Lipton to witness the America Cup races. His mother was the twenty-second Condo de Struela, and came of a very ancient Spanish family.

Arabella Churchill, who figured in the bar-anister on the duke's escutcheon, was a sister of the first Duke of Marlborough. James II. made his natural son Duke of Berwick, while the French king created him Duke of Fitz-James, and the Spanish monarch fairly showered titles upon him. The young Spanish grandee early reached an age of indelicacy in the matter of affairs of the heart. On one occasion he became infatuated by a fair charmer who was also the recipient of marked attentions from the late Duke de Chaulnes, who afterward married Miss Theodore Shonta, daughter of the New York traction magnate. The lady in the case asked them to put their affection to the test of the sword, and Alba and de Chaulnes fought a duel. Several years ago Alba made an heiress-hunting trip to America, and courted the hand and fortune of Miss Mathilde To send, but was refused.

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5-Room Dwelling and corner lot, with stable, in Fernwood Estate, \$750 cash, balance \$25 monthly interest at 7 per cent. Price \$3,000

4-Room Dwelling and lot 50 x 157, on Fairford Street, facing south, and close to Moss, \$700 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price \$3,800

Fairfield Estate—Chapman Street, close to Beach, \$4.50—\$25 together with a nice, modern cottage, with good basement. One-quarter cash, balance arranged to suit, at 7 per cent. Price \$4,000

North End—Corner lot, 40 x 111, with 6-room modern cottage \$400 cash, balance \$25 per month. Interest 7 per cent. Price \$4,000

Liquor Licenses for Sale—Tenders will be received for the purchase of two Liquor Licenses. Tenders should be in by Saturday, the 18th inst.

6-Room New Dwelling and lot on Empress Avenue. \$700 cash, balance arranged in monthly payments. Price \$4,300

6-Room Dwelling and lot 90 x 136, on Pembroke Street. \$1,500 cash, balance quarterly or semi-annually; interest at 7 per cent. Price \$6,000

Fairfield Estate—Cornwall Street, between Richardson and Fairfield; 5-room modern cottage and lot. \$1,100 cash, balance to suit. Price \$4,300

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"Boss," and at twenty-one invaded Wall street as a broker, in which pursuit he was financed by his father-in-law. In association with William C. Whitney, he began picking up street railway and gas franchises in New York, Chicago and other cities, and as a side line "reorganized" various southern railways, Ohio and West Virginia coal properties, and other industries. These activities made of him a multi-millionaire, and one of the powers of the "street," when but a few years before he had been an awkward, uneducated farmer lad in the Blue Ridge district. All of which teaches us that by honesty, application and industry anyone may acquire wealth. Or does it?

Dr. James Roscoe Day, chancellor of Syracuse University, doctor of divinity, defender of Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Archbold and Standard Oil, and chief of the Anti-Rooseveltians, was born in Maine sixty-eight years ago to-day. He was a Methodist minister prior to going to Syracuse as chancellor in 1894.

FRIENDS.

Mrs. W. (at the matinee): "Well, I declare, there's actually somebody in the world plainer than I am! Look right over yonder— But, no—see if you can find her."

Mrs. Y. (after searching diligently): "I can't find her."—Harper's Magazine.

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Near Langford station, chicken ranch, 4 acres fenced, nearly all cleared, new six-roomed house, stable, chicken houses, etc. Good well. Price for quick sale \$4,000. Small cash payment, balance easy.

Oak Bay District—Brand new residence, 6 rooms, cement basement, stationery, tubs, panelled and tiled walls, open fireplace, piped for running water, lot 50 x 102, nice lawn and garden. This is a beautiful home! Reasonable terms. Price \$1,350

James Bay—Level lot, 60 feet front, with outbuildings, close to Dallas Rd. Terms A snap for \$3,000

Monterey Avenue—A very desirable building site, all level; reasonable terms. Very cheap for \$1,600

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\$2750.00—Four-roomed house on Seaton road.

\$1800.00—Good building lot on Trent, just off Fort.

\$3150.00—Daffodil Ave., Garden City, five-roomed house.

\$4500.00—Six-roomed house, Edgware road.

\$5000.00—Prior St., six-roomed house.

\$6800.00—Craigflower Rd., eight-roomed house.

\$7000.00—Fowl Bay Rd., nine-roomed house.

\$7500.00—Monterey North, eight-roomed house.

\$8800.00—Corner Seagull and Olympia, eight-roomed house.

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Garden City—\$350 cash, balance to suit purchaser, buys a five-roomed modern bungalow. Price \$3,000

Oak Bay, Pentland Street—A fine lot, 50 x 147. One-third cash, balance arranged. Price \$1,500

Carry Road—Corner Judah street, 10 acres, fine building site, high level, no rock. Easy terms. Price \$15,000

Graham St.—Six-roomed modern bungalow. Terms arranged. Price only \$4,500

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FOR SALE—LOTS.

GARDEN CITY PARK—Lot on car line, 65x130, level and clear; owner must have money and will sell at purchase price of \$500, \$25 cash, balance on 12 months, 5% interest. P. O. Box 567. c18

A PROMINENT business corner on Fort street for rent at \$175 a month, splendid window space. Apply 700 Fort street, n. l. Jones Block. c17

CADBORO HEIGHTS—Sacrifice, beautiful, high, grassy lot, 50x110 to lane, reduced from \$1500 to \$1400, terms arranged. Box 570, Times. c19

OCEAN VIEW ROAD—North end, next to corner of Cook street, two lots, well placed, 50x110, for \$500 each, on very easy terms. L. Beale & Co., 205 Jones Block. c17

TWO MINUTES FROM CAR, near Burnside school and 11 miles from City Hall, high, grassy lot, 1/2 acre, \$1200, \$250 cash, balance on 12 months, 5% interest. A. Taylor, Oak Bay Junction. Phone 4749; Res. Phone 2208. c19

QUADRA STREET—Just outside two-mile circle, large lot 60x224, forty bearing fruit trees; price \$1500, \$150 cash, \$1350 quarterly. A. Taylor, Oak Bay Junction. Phone 4749; Res. Phone 2208. c19

VERY CHEAP—10-acre garden tract, near Port Angeles, terms, \$25 cash, by owner; price \$750. Box 523, Times. c18

\$75 CASH—Lots 50 x 122, Dalrymple, Garden City, block from station; high grass lots, price \$500, balance \$15.00 monthly. P. O. Box 1324. c18

FINE DOUBLE CORNER, 10x15, 1/2 mile circle, as first payment on 5-room bungalow. Capital City Realty, 618 Yates street. c18

HARTLY PARK SUBDIVISION, next Municipal Hall, Colwood, close to golf links, level land, 3 acre lots; price \$500, \$50 cash, \$450 a month. Northwest Real Estate Co., corner Pandora and Douglas St. c18

LARGE LOT, 90x150, overlooking Gorge waters, 10 minutes from car, reduced from \$1250 to \$600; \$150 cash, balance on 12 months, 5% interest. Campbell Bros., Suite 7, 1007 Government street. Tel. 3674. c18

CEBRAR HILL ROAD—Double corner, 120x118, just outside city limits; \$175, \$25 cash, Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 671. Open evenings. c21

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INJUNCTION ORDER REFUSED BY JUDGE

Street Railway Company Loses in Its Action Against Esquimalt Waterworks

COURT DECIDES ISSUE ON CONTRACT TERMS

Water Company Has Never Been Properly Asked to Furnish Maximum Supply

Chief Justice Hunter this morning refused to grant the British Columbia Electric Railway Company an injunction order restraining the Esquimalt Waterworks Company from interfering with the supply of fifteen million gallons of water daily for the purpose of generating electric power at the railway company's Goldstream plant.

His lordship took the ground that there has never been the notice given the Esquimalt company, that is required by the contract between the parties as to the larger supply of water than was at first agreed upon.

His lordship pointed out that the maximum amount has been supplied for the past eight years, and if the parties are now determined to stand on their rights under the contract he interpreted those rights as giving the British Columbia Electric Railway Company four million gallons daily now and anywhere up to fifteen million gallons on a year's notice.

E. V. Bodwell, K. C., for the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, informed the court that on September 25, 1907, a contract had been entered into between the two companies, under which it was covenanted that from and after July 1, 1908, for a term of forty years, the Esquimalt Waterworks Company was to supply the British Columbia Electric Railway Company with four million gallons daily, tributaries and basins, with a daily amount of four million imperial gallons under a minimum effective working head of 575 feet. It was also covenanted that there was to be supplied such further amount as the railway company might from time to time require, not exceeding fifteen million gallons. The minimum unit of additional water to be demanded was 250,000 gallons at one time, on ten days' notice, and twelve months' notice was required for the first unit of 250,000 gallons after the fourth million gallons.

In 1900 A. T. Goward had notified the Esquimalt company that the railway company would probably want a greater supply, and from 1901 the Esquimalt company had been supplying daily, while for the last eight

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LOCAL NEWS

Council Business To-night—It was thought this afternoon that the city council would take up only routine business to-night, leaving waterworks matters to a future date, when the commissioner is in a position to put in a report on the Graft Construction Company's tender.

O. O. O.

To Sample Elk Lake—It is the intention of the city analyst to take a number of samples of Elk Lake water during the winter, so that the results may be available for comparison with Beaver Lake when the plant comes to be brought into use again.

O. O. O.

Select Committee—The Board of Trade committee on city affairs met this afternoon to appoint three of its members to act with the committee of aldermen and the real estate exchange in taking up the question of street car service generally.

O. O. O.

Social Evening Arranged—At the meeting of the Olympic Union of the W. C. T. U. held on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. A. E. Mitchell in the chair, arrangements were made for a social evening to be held next Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Mitchell, 641 Superior street, when a musical programme will be given.

O. O. O.

Consider Building By-law—At the meeting of the committee of the city council, to consider amendments to the building by-law, yesterday afternoon, Fire Chief Davis introduced his amendments defining the nature of fire escapes. These were adopted, and provisions were also inserted to protect workmen engaged on scaffolds, as desired by the Building Trades Council, who have sent delegations to the council on the matter.

O. O. O.

Held Annual Social—The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, held their twenty-second anniversary social this week, the occasion bringing together a large number of the members of the congregation and old friends of the church. An excellent programme was given during the evening, and refreshments were served. Among those who assisted on the former were Miss Luney, Mr. Loughheed, Miss McKay, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Brown and Miss Brown, Mr. Roberts, and the Misses Stewart and their brothers.

O. O. O.

Asiatic Exclusion—A well-attended meeting of the Asiatic Exclusion League was held last night, at which Messrs. F. Smith, Lowther, Debroth, J. Best and Mr. Whiteside spoke in favor of the following resolution, which was passed unanimously: "This meeting of the citizens of Victoria protests against the action of the government in sending soldiers, blankets to Chinese laundries to be cleaned by Asiatic labor, and allowing hundreds of Asiatics to be employed in the Cumberland mines contrary to law." It was decided to make an effort to put more energy into the movement by publishing leaflets setting out the aims of the society. William Hugh occupied the chair.

O. O. O.

FOR POLICE BALL.

Committees Named for the Approaching Social Function of City Force.

There was not a shadow of doubt in the minds of any of the members of the Victoria police force who were able to attend the meeting yesterday afternoon that there should be a ball held this year. The immense success of these functions in former years has convinced the men that they can manage as pleasant an event as is held during the year, and all that is left now, after the fixing of a date this afternoon, is for the committees to go ahead with the arrangements. The following committees were named: Executive—Inspector Perdue, Inspector Walker, Constables Carlow and Edens and Sergeant Carson. Ticket selling—Inspector Palmer and Sergeant Harper. Refreshments—Inspector Jay, Chief Langley, Deputy Chief Palmer, Inspector Walker, Inspector Perdue, Sergeants O'Leary, Webb, Harper and Wright. License Inspectors Hatcher and Scott. Detective Murray, Constables Duncan and Brogan. Cloak room—Constables Ireland, Cremer, Bradley and Calwell. Ticket collection—Constables Wood, Gatos, McPherson, Rogers, McLennan and Munro. Music—Detective Carlow, Constables Duncan and Barnes. Floor—Detectives Heather, Edens, Carlow, Constables Allison, Forster, Taylor, Greeng, Elliott, Jones, Clark, Varney and Corrigan. Constables Headley, Shawyer and Clarke. Refreshments—Inspector Perdue, Detective Carlow and Constable Florence. Constable Sutton was named as master of ceremonies and Constable Barnes as his assistant. Constables Roberts and Taylor will be markers in the grand march. Chief Langley presided at the meeting, and J. W. Edwards, chief of the detective department, was appointed secretary in the place of Detective Frank Edens, who asked to be relieved, and was given a hearty vote of thanks for his services in the past.

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SCHOOL HOUSE EMPTIED BY FRIENDLY POLE CAT

Teacher Forced to Adjourn to Neighbor's Boring House Leaving Visitor in Possession.

Tacoma, Oct. 17.—A friendly polecat paid a visit to the Custer school, near Tacoma, yesterday. At least, his actions were friendly until the teacher and pupils reached his overdrive and endeavored to discontinue his advance. Then he retaliated in a manner characteristic of his kind.

Miss Bernice Dorsey, teacher of the Custer school, is from Missouri—Knobsboro, Mo. She had met skunks before and was not going to be dismayed by any little black object with two white stripes down a black back and four legs, one on each corner. She decided to combat that skunk. She drove him under the schoolhouse. This proved poor strategy.

The more forcible attempts to dislodge him the more the skunk warmed to the fray. Finally, in one last burst of olfactory, appalling eloquence, he retired into the innermost recesses under the Custer school and refused to be dislodged.

Miss Dorsey adjourned school to a neighboring house, and in the afternoon held her classes, like Plato of old, under the shade of widespread trees.

MURDERS COMMITTED IN MEXICAN STATE

Two Americans and One Mexican Killed; Twenty-Five Foreigners Threatened.

Guadalajara, Mex., Oct. 17.—Two American citizens and one Mexican were killed on Tuesday as the result of a feud at Hostotiquilla, a mining camp in the state of Jalisco, about eighty miles to the northwest of this city. Twenty-five foreigners there were threatened with extermination. The dead Americans are Thomas Barrett, a mine manager, and William Kendall, a mine employee. Barrett was murdered with an axe by the Mexican, who was captured by Kendall and turned over to the rurales. While the guards were carrying the murderer to Magdalena they shot him. A story reached the mining camp that the murderer had been killed by Kendall, whereupon a number of Mexicans set upon Kendall and killed him. The same night about 100 Mexicans attacked all the foreigners in camp. The foreigners took refuge in a mine after telephoning to Magdalena for troops. A detachment of fifty rurales arrived and escorted the miners to Magdalena, where they took train for this city.

SHIP CAULKER DEFINES MODERN COLLEGE MAN

Must Add Figures, Talk Politics and Also Be Able to Read Newspapers.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—F. Fagan, a ship-caulker, was testifying in a will contest concerning the estate of the late Capt. Michael Martin. "Did you consider Capt. Martin a secretive man?" asked an attorney. "I don't get you," parried Fagan. "Come again. I ain't a college man." "What in your opinion constitutes a college man?" "Why, judge," said Fagan, "I figure that a college man is one who can add figures, talk politics and read newspapers." "Then I guess we all level up to the requirements," said the court. "Go on with the evidence."

MARCONI ESCAPES WHEN CARS COLLIDE

Bologna, Italy, Oct. 17.—William Marconi, the wireless inventor, was in another automobile accident to-day, similar to the one which cost him the loss of an eye some time ago. While motoring with his wife to Pontecchia his motor car collided with a car at a corner. The shock broke all the glass in the automobile and scattered it over the occupants, none of them, however was injured.

PORTLAND TO PORTLAND.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 17.—From the Atlantic to the Pacific coast on a motorcycle is the trip Chief Boat-swain's Mate E. J. Taylor and his bride expect to complete in twenty-five days. They left Portland, Maine, Wednesday and their destination is Portland, Ore. Thence they will go to Bremerton, Wash., where Taylor has been assigned to a recruiting station.

EARTHQUAKES IN NICARAGUA.

San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua, Oct. 17.—Violent earthquakes to-day shook the cities of Managua, Masaya and Granada. The alarmed population deserted houses for the public squares and open spaces. One building collapsed in Jalapa, a suburb of Granada. The earth tremors coincide with the activity of the volcano of Santiago.

WINTER SCHEDULES.

According to winter schedules the C. P. R. has decided to have the steamer Princess Sophia, Capt. Campbell, maintain the tri-weekly service to Skagway and to have the steamer Princess Royal operate out of Victoria to Powell River.

ROMA TO PATROL.

The Vancouver trawler Roma has been chartered by the naval service to take the place of the William Joffe in patrolling northern waters on the look-out for porpoises. She left on her first cruise yesterday.

Sale of Work—The Ladies Aid of the Belmont Avenue Methodist church are holding a sale of work in the school room of the church on November 6.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death took place this morning at the family residence, 518 Ellice street, of Kathleen Mary Savage, aged 5 years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. O. Savage. The funeral has been arranged for 10.30 a.m. Monday from the residence, and 11 o'clock from St. John's church, the Rev. Stanley Ard officiating.

The funeral of James Fraser Schubert took place this morning from the Isolation Hospital to Ross Bay Cemetery, Rev. Mr. Sweet conducting the services.

The death occurred this morning of Francis Helena Nesbitt, the fourteen-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nesbitt. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2.45 from the house, and at 3 o'clock from the Roman Catholic cathedral.

CARD OF THANKS.

A light is from the household gone. A voice we loved is stilled. A name is vacant in our house which never can be filled.

Ever remembered by his loving wife and family.

Died October 15, 1913.

Mrs. C. Steers and family wish to express their sincere thanks to the Ladies' Guild of the Metropolitan church, the O. U. W. Lodge, and to their many friends for their kind sympathy, and for the beautiful tributes sent during their recent bereavement through the loss of a loving husband and a dear father.

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J. S. C. FRASER, Manager, Victoria

CIVIC NOTICE.

Re Municipal Election, 1914.

The attention of persons desiring to qualify as "HOUSEHOLDERS," or "HOLDERS OF TRADE LICENSES," to vote at the Municipal Election to be held on the 2nd Thursday of January, 1914, is drawn to Section 5 of the "Municipal Elections Act," which provides that, in the case of a Household, he, or she, shall during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a Statutory Declaration made and subscribed before a Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, or Municipal Clerk, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule of the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in said schedule in the case of a household.

"HOUSEHOLDERS" shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, who has been a resident in the Municipality from the first day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provisions of the proviso at the end of sub-section (187) of Section 53 of the Municipal Act (which exempts certified efficient militiamen and persons over the age of 60 years from paying road tax) have paid directly to the Municipality all rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to not less than two dollars, due to the Municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs.

Section 4 further provides that "no person who is not a British subject shall be entitled to vote at any Municipal election for the election of Mayor or Alderman." Form of declaration may be obtained at the office of the City Assessor, second floor, City Hall, Douglas Street, or from J. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 30, 1913.

NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that A. O. P. Francis, of the City of Vancouver, B. C., and Thomas Hope Leeming, David Leeming and John Leeming, of the City of Victoria, B. C., are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area, plans and description of the works proposed to be constructed in Victoria Harbor Upper Basin, Victoria, B. C., being land situated, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid and known, numbered and described as Lots Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18), Block "1," Harbor Estate, Map No. 16, and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works at the Registry Office at the City of Victoria, B. C., and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1913.
A. O. P. FRANCIS, DAVID LEEMING and JOHN LEEMING.
By their Solicitor, Sydney Child, Suite 201, Hibben-Bone Block, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

In the Matter of the Victoria Syndicate Doing Business at 404 Sayward Building.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between C. W. Holden and S. B. Johnston is dissolved, and the firm's business will hereafter be conducted until further notice by C. W. Holden, who will assume all liabilities and to whom all accounts are payable.

Creditors of the firm please present all bills before thirty days.
(Signed) C. W. HOLDEN,
W. H. C. F. WOOD,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15, 1913.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Wallace, Late of Metochin District in the Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of October, 1913.

Dated this 23rd day of September, A.D. 1913.
YATES & JAY,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Administrator.

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY POUND SALE.

I shall sell by public auction at the Pound, Glenford Avenue, on the 21st inst., at eleven o'clock, one bay mare with white star on forehead and three white fetlocks, if not redeemed before.

H. LITTLE,
Pound-keeper.

Financial News

STOCK MARKET SHOWS GLACIER IS SOUGHT
SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT STOCK HAS FIRMINESSTurmoil in Mexico Conducive to More Cheerful Feeling but Not Importantly
Well-Defined Indications of Growing Interest in Speculative Stocks

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Oct. 17.—The list offered better resistance to selling pressure, but nevertheless showed no great improvement. Foreign liquidation was less in evidence, but the demand for stocks was chiefly in the nature of short covering.

An indication of strain on the other side is the reported intention of the Bank of England to negotiate with the Bank of France for supplies of gold, and it is a fact beyond dispute that European investment markets are choked and suffocated with new capital issues for the distribution among investors, of which there is no immediate prospect.

The turmoil in Mexico is a little more conducive to cheerful feeling, but this in comparison with other influences is not an important factor.

The stock market is going through a period of readjustment in keeping with the general order of things growing out of what has been said above, and so in keeping with changes necessitated by new tariff laws and the high cost of capital.

A predominance of enquiry for Glacier Creek this morning on the local stock exchange gave that issue noticeable firmness and quotations ruled the strongest since the last active movement. What bidding is well distributed; offerings are scarce and not easy to procure, disposition on the part of holders being to await near-expected news.

The list continues to render a good account of itself daily, and there are well-defined indications of growing interest in the speculative mining stocks. Dominion Trust, Great West, Canadian Consolidated, Consolidated, remain fundamentally strong, the latter issue today showing a two point gain from yesterday.

Action of Granby for the day was fairly reflective of sentiment prevailing in American markets, that is, hesitating but less evidence of liquidating pressure both for foreign and domestic account.

Blackbird Syndicate 60.00
B. C. Life 125.00
B. C. Trust Co. 100.00
B. C. Packers, com. 25.00
B. C. Refining Co. 45.00
B. C. Copper Co. 2.00
B. C. Fishery, com. 1.50
C. N. P. Fishery, com. 2.00
Can. S. Lumber Co. 25.00
Can. Cons. S. & R. 25.00
G. W. Perm. L. An. 125.00
Granby 70.00
International Coal & Coke 75.00
Lucky Jim Zinc 10.00
McGillivray Coal 15.00
R. T. Gold 10.00
Portland Cement 60.00
Pacific Lead 25.00
Rougher Cariboo 45.00
S. M. M. 1.25
Standard Lead 25.00
Stewart M. & L. 5.00
S. S. Island Creamery 7.25
Stewart Land 8.00
Victoria Phoenix 175.00Unlisted:
American Marconi 5.25
B. C. Coal & Oil 4.00
Canadian Marconi 4.00
Can. West Trust 50.00
Capital Furniture Co. 1.00
Can. Pac. Ry. com. 65.00
Crest Creek 65.00
North Star Ironworks 12.00
Bakeries, Ltd. 12.00

FACTORS IN WHEAT

TRADE ALL BEARISH

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—The wheat market closed with the December price at 82½¢ and May 87½¢. There is no buying force from the public to sustain the market on any recession recovery. The local trade is bearish, the news bearish, and every indication that these features will continue. There was hardly a redeeming feature on the buying side of wheat for the day if we accept the small Northwest receipts, and the light Argentine shipments of 100,000 bushels. Some of the leading buyers of the morning in the trade turned sellers at midday, and as there was a sinking market the last hour there was a general desertion of holdings by buyers of morning.

TENDERS FOR RAILS

Tenders will be received until noon, Oct. 20, 1913, by the Purchasing Agent of the City of Victoria for the delivery of about 555 gross tons of 20-lb. to the yard rails in 20-ft. lengths, as follows:

8 miles of single track to Goldstream, B. C.

1½ miles single track to Fitzgerald.

8½ miles single track to Cooper's Cove Wharf.

Together with necessary spikes, bars, bolts and ½-in. by 3½-in. track spikes, 10,700 to the mile.

Tenders to state net price per gross ton for rails and pound price for fittings, free of all charges, customs duties, delivered as above. Material to conform to standard specifications of the American Society of Testing Materials. Tenders must be addressed to the undersigned and marked on outside of envelope "Tenders for Rails." Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque, made payable to the City Corporation for five per cent of the amount of the tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent,
Victoria, B. C., October 7, 1913.

PUBLIC NIGHT SCHOOL

Evening classes are being formed under the direction of the Victoria School Board, to begin about October 15 next, in Elementary and Advanced English, English for Foreigners, Commercial and Workshop Arithmetic, Mathematics, Drawing, Gasoline Engines, Chemistry, Cooking, Dressmaking, Elongation, Manual Training, Sheet Metal Working, Physical Culture for Girls. Telephone 528 or call at Victoria School Board Office for prospectus and registration card.

October 3, 1913.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

NOTICE.

Applications will be received by the undersigned for the position of Medical Health Officer for the above district up to noon, October 20, 1913.

F. W. CLAYTON,
C. M. C.LIVERPOOL WHEAT DOWN
WINNIPEG ALSO LOW

Winnipeg, Oct. 17.—Any hopes of a change in the market to-day were disappointed by the news from Liverpool of a sharp decline there. This led to a drop of 1 to 1½ here, but there was a medium strength at the opening and some rally in prices. The market was spasmodically active but nervous and the close was firm. Oats, flax and barley are all on the decline and in poor demand. Flax was, however, the steepest line. There was a fair cash demand for No. 2 and 3 Northern, but little enquiry for No. 1 offerings are fair. The weather is more favorable to the finishing up of threshing and for preparing land for next year. Receipts, 1,389 cars inspected and 1,400 in stock.

Winnipeg market:

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Saturday's Advantageous Buys

Quaker Corn, per tin	10¢
Tomatoes, 2 tins for	25¢
Red Letter Peaches, 2 tins for	25¢
Yellow Hammer Peaches, per tin	20¢
Tomatoes, per gallon tin	35¢
French Asparagus Tips, per tin	25¢
Stevens' Marmalade, in glass	15¢
Chocolate Candy, per lb.	25¢

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Duly instructed by Mrs. C. Agerphus, who is leaving for California, will sell by

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At 2 o'clock, the whole of her well kept

Household Furniture and Effects

Including some very fine Moorish Furniture.

Drawingroom—Mahogany oc. table, 3 inlaid Moorish settees, 2 inlaid Moorish chairs, inlaid Moorish stool, inlaid Moorish tables, up mah. rocker, 3 mahogany arm chairs, Moorish flower stand, 2 carved Cashmere stands, teak table, inlaid with ivory; 2 Benares brass jardiniere, inlaid Moorish bracket, 2 very fine water colors, oil paintings, engraving, very handsome velvet pile carpet, Oriental rug, hand-painted Dresden plates, Doulton and other jardiniere, a quantity of good plants, portieres, lace curtains, fire screen, etc.

Diningroom—Mission oak dining table, 4 Mission oak chairs, Mission oak arm chair, Mission oak sectional bookcases, Moorish bracket, Morris chair, mah. rocker, screen heater, mah. oc. table, Mission oak desk, oil lamp, teak dispatch box, clock, pictures, Brussels rug, ornaments, books, a quantity of plated ware, Wedgwood dinner set, tea sets, glassware, etc.

Hall—Grandfather's clock, in mah. case; mah. settee, oak hall stand, brass umbrella stand, oak flower stand, door mats, Brussels carpet, portieres, etc.

Bedrooms—Brass bedstead and mattresses, 2 rattan chairs, mahogany bureau, mahogany chiffoniere, coal oil heater, mah. table, up couch, a pair of very antique lace curtains, which were hanging in the residence of Sir Walter Scott, at Abbotsford at the time of his death; carpet stretcher, 2 oc. oc. tables, bureau and washstand, Kensington rug, pillow cushions, blankets, etc.

A quantity of cooking utensils, carpet sweeper, brooms, kitchen tables, potatoes, apples, pears, and 12 chickens. On view Monday, 20th.

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POTATOES, per 100 lbs. \$1.00 Onions, per 100 lbs. \$2.50 Onions, per 5 lbs. 25¢

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Mud, snow, dust and dirt will not be tracked into the house over your floors if you use Grab's Foot Scraper outside your door. This is the only device made which cleans bottom and sides of shoes in one operation. Has ten parallel plates for scraping sole and two stiff bristle brushes which clean the sides of the shoe.

Grab's Foot Scraper automatically adjusts itself to any size shoe. Handsomely enameled. Looks neat. Can be rotated and swept under. Fastens to porch, doorstep or any handy place. Get one and save useless work. Patented.

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DAY-NURSERY WILL

BE OPENED NEXT WEEK

City Has Already Announced Grant; Committee Working to Equip Building

The committee which was recently formed for the purpose of establishing a day nursery in the city has decided that the time has come for taking immediate steps in this direction.

The committee made its decision from the demonstration of the actual facts. Numerous mothers, when the question was opened, applied to the committee for help in caring for their children while they were absent from home earning a livelihood for themselves and their family, and the application embraced no less than fifteen children under school age whose mothers wished to leave their little ones at the nursery on their way to work in the morning.

An effort was made by the committee to secure a suitable place in a central position where mothers from all parts of the city could reach it by tram car, but nothing could be found. Finally, as the larger proportion of mothers needing help lived in Victoria North and Hillside avenue, it was decided to open the day nursery near the intersection of the four carlines in that district. 739 King's road being secured for the purpose.

On Monday last the committee waited on the city council, and asked for co-operation and financial help in the work, with the result that the sum of \$100 monthly was granted, this leaving about \$75 or \$100 for the committee to raise by some other means.

An appeal is, consequently, being made to the public, who, it is hoped by the committee, will assist in furnishing the nursery, and, with the idea of suggesting a means of helping, the following list of the requirements has been given:

Ten white enameled cribs, with small mattresses, pillow, flannelette sheets and blankets, 8 low tables, 16 little chairs (kindergarten), 4 dozen towels, 4 dozen clean white flour sacks, 50 yards white cheese-cloth, 1 piece white flannel, 1 piece white flannelette, 1 piece blue denim, 1 piece dark blue print, small shoes, socks and stockings, a sewing machine, a few toys, child's swing and creeper-chair, load of sand, a few loads of mill wood and coal, 2 ordinary kitchen tables, 6 chairs, kitchen-range, nursery stove, office furniture, etc.

The committee will also be glad to receive the names of any friends who are willing to sew for the children on clothes which will be cut and given out from headquarters.

Arrangements are being made for the public opening of this nursery some time next week. All donations should be sent to the headquarters, 739 King's road, with the name of the sender attached, on or after Monday next. Gifts of money should be sent to Mrs. Gordon Grant, 244 Linden avenue, who is acting sec-

retary-treasurer of the committee, and authorized to give receipts for donations of the kind.

A charge of 10 cents daily is to be made to mothers for the care of their children, so that, while within the means of nearly any working woman, they need not feel that they are dependent on public charity.

LOAN WILL BE SPENT

BY END OF THE YEAR

Lighting Installation Practically Complete as Forecast in the By-law

With the end of the present year the city electric light department will have spent the loan which was provided in 1911 for extensions of the service. The disbursement of the fund has been gradual, and votes have been made as necessity arose. Although there still remains a small balance in favor of the department, orders for material which have been placed will practically absorb the balance of the loan.

The department expresses the hope that unless some special occurrence intervenes, such as an extension of boundaries, in which case the outside districts would have to be cared for, in future the demands for the year can be met out of general revenue. There are now about 750 arc lights in use, and when the two additional transformers now on order arrive, it will be possible to provide for some 350 lamps. One of the transformers will be added to the service, and the other placed in reserve in case of accident.

It is a singular thing as indicating the effect of the advent of winter on the average citizen, that whereas in the spring invitations were publicly invited from residents of the suburban districts to state their desire for arc standards, the response was almost nil, and yet with the arrival of dark evenings City Electrician Hutchison is overwhelmed with applications. Attention has principally been given to the northeast district, which was deficient in street lighting.

There is every prospect that the caseway lighting will be completed in about eight or ten days now. This will greatly add to the appearance of the Inner Harbor at nighttime and form another link in the much-discussed harbor lighting scheme. For the first time this year along the eight miles of cluster lighting frontage are paying a maintenance tax, the levy of which meets the cost of upkeep, but not of the current, which is supplied by the city. It is levied as a rate of one cent per front foot per month, which forms an easy basis of computation. The tax was expected to produce \$7,000, and about \$5,500 has so far been paid. Owing to the nature of the system adopted here the initial cost of installation was greater than is usually the case, but the average of maintenance will be less unless some untoward accident occurs. A certain amount of electrolysis is going on, but not, it is believed, of a character to injure the installations already made.

The Shrine of Fashion

As Announced Yesterday Our Saturday Special Lines are of Particular Interest

Do Not Fail to Visit the Various Sections Where are Displayed Goods at Desired Prices

The "Finch" Corset

This Corset has been specially built for ourselves, under the guidance of our expert corsetiere—improvements adaptable to the individual figure being the main object, and for a moderately-priced Corset, we consider we have achieved our object, and are offering at \$1.50 a perfectly-fitting Corset. Low bust, long skirt, hook and elastic, lacing below clasp; six good, strong supporters, drawstring top, boneless hip. Sizes 19 to 26. Specially priced at.....\$1.50

Ladies' Suits

A Most Perfectly-Produced Man-Tailored Suit, confined to ourselves, the material being shrunken and guaranteed English serge, in navy blue. Specially priced at.....\$45.00

A Splendid Assortment of Ladies' Suits at \$17.50 and \$22.50; 175 in all, composed of plain and fancy tweeds, serges, chevots, whipcords, heavy poplins and broadcloths, in new Autumn colorings, lined Skinner satin. Cutaway effects, roll and shaped collars. Specially priced at \$17.50 and.....\$22.50

Clever, Smart Millinery

This section has been producing, at high pressure, some 450 Trimmed Felt and Velvet Shapes for to-day and Saturday's offering, in close and semi-fitting styles, wings, fancy mounts and ribbons being artistically used. Specially priced from \$8.50 to.....\$6.50

Tailored Waists

Cleverly-Designed Waists, in best quality Lyons' silk, in loveliest colorings, strictly tailored. Specially priced at.....\$5.00 French All-Wool Delaine Waists—Specially priced, \$5.00 to.....\$1.75 White Tailored Waists, in vestings, Bedford cord and fine suitings; values to \$4.75. Specially priced at.....\$1.75

We are Particularly Strong on Ladies' Coats \$15, \$17.50, \$20 \$22.50 and \$25

For \$15.00—We are offering plain and fancy tweeds, blanket cloths; own material and velvet collars, new belt effects and plaid linings. Specially priced at.....\$15.00

For \$17.50—A good line in Scotch and rich tweeds, blanket cloths and zibelines; wide belts, newest style collars and cuffs. Specially priced at.....\$17.50

For \$20.00—Most varied line in boucle, blanket tweeds and heather tweeds; strapped own material, Oriental satin trimmings. Lined best quality satin; all sizes. Specially priced at.....\$20.00

\$22.50 Rinking Coats—Can be used for walking or rinking; a heavy, loose-fitting coat, in Vandyke tweeds, square, also in cutaway effects. Astrachan and plain tweed collars, satin lined; patch pockets. Specially priced at.....\$22.50

Beyond Compare is Our Leader at \$25.00—All styles and novelty effects. Specially priced at.....\$25.00

Gloves at Special Prices

Heavy Dogskin Gloves, perfectly stitched, for hard wear. One-piece fastener. Specially priced at, per pair.....\$1.25 The "Finch" Guaranteed Glove at \$1.00—Fine French kid, in tans, grey, black and white. Our special price.....\$1.00 Heavy Mecha Suede Glove.....\$1.50 Also silk-lined at.....\$2.25

Ladies' Eiderdown Bathrobes and Kimonos

In the fullest range of sizes and colorings, from \$16.50 to.....\$4.75

Ladies' Colored and White Overalls and Aprons 65c

A Splendid Line of Imported Aprons, first quality materials, and perfect-fitting. White Aprons, with hemstitched bibs, also heavier quality, without bibs, in a wide range of colorings. Regular value, \$1.50. Specially priced.....65¢

Ladies' Flannelette Dressing Sackies—A new delivery, 185 only, in colors blue, pink, and lavender ground, with contrasting design, bordered at neck and sleeve with rose-patterned material; beautifully made, and specially priced at.....85¢

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns—White only, high neck and long sleeves; also slip-over styles, with elbow-length sleeves, daintily embroidered yokes; others perfectly plain, with hemstitched tucks, turn-over collar and cuff effects. Specially priced at.....\$1.20

A Wonderful Line For 85c

High-Grade Flannelette, specially manufactured for us; high neck and long sleeves, yoke effect, trimmed embroidery; full sizes and well cut. Specially priced at.....85¢

Girls' White Flannelette Gowns, silk-embroidered, also colored and stripe effects; heavier quality flannelette, also in Scotch-wool. Specially priced at.....60¢

Girls' and Children's Sweaters

Ages 6 to 14 years, Botany wool, colors navy, cardinal, silver and maroon, slate, scarlet, white and navy. Specially priced at.....\$2.35

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